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Thursday, March 23, 1939

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4335

May 28, 1938. Sentenced to death.

January 9, 1939. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

Murder, first degree (capital case)

January 27, 1939. Governor issued warrant setting execution for week beginning March 27, 1939.

February 24, 1939. Application for commutation filed

Charles E. Mills, Esquire,
Sayre, Pa.

Robert W. Trembath, Esquire,
Tunkhannock, Pa.

KAUFFMAN, OLIVER D.

Adams County

3034

September 9, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Voluntary manslaughter

Applications for commutation refused June 17, 1936, April 21, 1937, and April 20, 1938.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BARKER, ELMER

4307

Felonious assault and battery

Allegheny County

January 4, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from August 16, 1937.

February 2, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Esler W. Hays, Esquire,
Sefton Building,
Tarentum, Pa.

CAPO, ALPHONSO Allegheny County

3630

February 4, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Statutory rape

February 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Tony Capo,
251 Lyell Avenue,
Rochester, N. Y.

Mrs. Jennis Perriella,
246 Lyell Avenue,
Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

FERGUSON, GEORGE Allegheny County

2008

October 23, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentenced to be computed from October 30, 1931.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused November 21, 1934, October 16, 1935, and June 17, 1936.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Paul A. Kunkel, Esquire,
710-712 Telegraph Building,
Harrisburg, Pa.

FILMORE,
LEROY NELSON

Allegheny County

1514

February 7, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years for robbery.

April 12, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1 to 2 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. Sentence to run concurrent with original sentence. Maximum sentence expires May 13, 1969.

Robbery, breaking and escaping penitentiary

Applications for commutation refused October 18, 1933, and November 18, 1936.

February 2, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

C. Arthur Blass, Esquire,
802 Palace Hardware Building,
Erie, Pa.

FORESTAL, EDWARD J.

Allegheny and Centre Counties

2910

August 29, 1924. Sentenced in Allegheny County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for robbery, receiving stolen goods.

Robbery, receiving stolen goods, breaking and escaping penitentiary

September 1, 1933. Sentenced in Centre County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at expiration of maximum of original sentence March 7, 1939.

April 15, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. A. W. Mattox,
Room 3, Court House,
Baltimore, Md.

GORDON, HARRY W.

3609

Voluntary manslaughter

Allegheny County

May 15, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

February 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

January 17, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

February 15, 1939. Continued to March session.

Samuel Wilson, Esquire,
510 North Third Street,
Harrisburg, Pa.

GORIL, JOHN J. Allegheny County

4273

Statutory rape

November 18, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years.

December 30, 1938. Application for commutation filed.

February 14, 1939. Continued to March session.

Daniel Krause, Esquire,
617 Braddock Avenue,
Braddock, Pa.

JORDAN, VINCE Allegheny County

3564

August 1, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Burglary

Applications for commutation refused December 16, 1937, and September 21, 1938.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Della Jordan,
R. F. D. No. 1,
Imperial, Pa.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

KUMMER, HERMAN

4308

Murder, first degree

Esler W. Hays, Esquire,
Sefton Building,
Tarentum, Pa.

Allegheny County

April 9, 1930. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

February 2, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

PALUSZYNSKI, SAM Allegheny County

1428

November 9, 1928. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 8 to 25 years. Sentence to be computed from October 1, 1927.

Felonious assault and battery, aiding escape

Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1933, March 21, 1934, September 20, 1934, March 25, 1936, September 23, 1936, June 16, 1937, and February 16, 1938.

February 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire,
Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

PLUM, HARLEY

4316

Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, larceny of automobile

Mrs. Isabelle Plum,
Chester, W. Va.

Allegheny County

November 4, 1937. Placed on probation for 1 year.

March 12, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., for 3 years.

February 14, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

PRESSLEY, HERBERT

3153

Voluntary manslaughter

Allegheny County

January 25, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Applications for commutation refused December 17, 1936, June 16, 1937, December 16, 1937, and September 21, 1938.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Clifford Pressley,
3608 Aspen Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ALBANO, PAUL Beaver County

1417

July 10, 1926. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1933, March 21, 1934, May 1, 1935, October 17, 1935, April 15, 1936, December 17, 1936, June 17, 1937, January 19, 1938, and September 21, 1938.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

MALICH, MIKE Beaver County

3855

June 19, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years.

Attempted robbery with aggravated circumstances

September 21, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

SCHELL, FRED Beaver County

4312

Breaking and entering, larceny, receiving stolen goods

June 30, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

February 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

CASTELLUCCI, DANIEL

3269

Robbery

Berks County

March 6, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from March 27, 1931.

March 24, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Warren K. Hess, Esquire,
526 Washington Street,
Reading, Pa.

CLOWER,
CLYDE WILLIAM

Berks County

4317

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, carrying firearms without a license

May 27, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Clyde W. Clower,
40 East 4th Street,
Bridgeport, Pa.

Reverend J. Harris,
Dekalb Street,
Bridgeport, Pa.

DePERMENTIER, ALFRED

Bucks County

3298

August 5, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Breaking and entering, larceny

Applications for commutation refused May 20, 1937, January 19, 1938, and September 22, 1938.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Anna DePermentier,
North Wales, Pa.

GURNER, JAMES Butler County

4310

Accessory before the fact, robbery

January 10, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years.

February 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Carmen V. Marinaro, Esquire,
312 Butler County National Bank Building,
Butler, Pa.

MENDICINO, WILLIAM Butler County

4324

Assault and battery with intent to rape, accessory before and after the fact, attempt to commit sodomy, assault and battery with intent to commit sodomy

Miss Kathryn Mendicino,
524 New Castle Street,
Butler, Pa.

December 18, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from October 12, 1937.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

SICILIANO, VINCENT Cambria County

3843

April 21, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Felonious rape

September 21, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

February 3, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

TABB, WILLIAM Chester County

4314

Involuntary manslaughter

December 7, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from October 19, 1937.

February 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Truman D. Wade, Esquire,
Woolworth Building,
West Chester, Pa.

PICKERD, DAVID

4331

Statutory rape, incestuous fornication

Clarion County

September 1, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7 to 14 years. Sentence to be computed from July 8, 1938.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Samuel Wilson, Esquire,
510 North Third Street,
Harrisburg, Pa.

HALL, MERLE Crawford County

4321

September 26, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1 to 7 years.

Perjury

February 14, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Thomas & Kiebort, Esquires,
Trust Company Building,
Meadville, Pa.

PATTERSON, JACK Crawford County

4330

September 26, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1 to 7 years.

Perjury

February 15, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Leland J. Culbertson, Esquire,
286 Chestnut Street,
Meadville, Pa.

MORRISON, NORMAN M.

Cumberland County

4326

December 23, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Daniel J. Schrull, Esquire,
Francis Fisher Kane, Esquire,
1420 Walnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

VITKOW,
MARTIN FRANCIS

Delaware County

4332

Breaking and entering, larceny

February 3, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from January 4, 1938.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Frank J. Marolla, Esquire,
912 Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

WING, GEORGE Erie County

3864 November 27, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree September 21, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

February 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

COOK, JESSE

1640

Felonious entry, larceny, pointing firearms, aggravated assault and battery

Indiana County

November 25, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7 to 14 years.

Applications for commutation refused February 21, 1934, November 21, 1934, September 27, 1935, and April 15, 1936.

February 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

SMITH, MARY Lawrence County

3852

February 3, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the State Industrial Home for Women for from 15 to 30 months.

Abortion

September 21, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Frank Moretti, Esquire,
Union Trust Company Building,
New Castle, Pa.

HORN,
WILLIAM EDWARD

4319

Burglary, robbery

Lehigh and Montgomery Counties

December 18, 1934. Sentenced in Lehigh County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for burglary.

June 8, 1935. Sentenced in Montgomery County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to begin at the expiration of minimum sentence December 18, 1937.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Hattie S. Cressman,
319 North 8th Street,
Allentown, Pa.

DAVIS,
THOMAS LUND

Montgomery County

4190

Statutory rape, rape

September 20, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

November 15, 1938. Application for commutation filed.

December 15, 1938. Continued to March session.

Frank J. Marolla, Jr., Esquire,
912 Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

PETRO, JOHN

3052

Felonious entry with intent to rob, robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Mrs. Philomena Petro,
5910 Magnolia Avenue,
Germantown, Pa.

Montgomery County

July 6, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years. Sentence to be computed from April 2, 1934.

Applications for commutation refused June 19, 1936, September 22, 1937, and September 22, 1938.

February 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

D'ALEXANDER, ALEX Northumberland County

3229

Rape

December 9, 1935. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years.

June 28, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

John L. Pipa, Jr., Esquire,
113 East Independence Street,
Shamokin, Pa.

KACSUR, MICHAEL J. Northumberland County

4322

Embezzlement, fraudulent conversion

June 3, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Northumberland County Prison for from 1½ to 3 years.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. George Kline,
915 Front Street,
Allentown, Pa.

MOLNAR, CARMEN Northumberland County

3553

December 9, 1935. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Rape

Applications for commutation refused December 15, 1937, and June 28, 1938.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Charles Molnar,
112 Warsaw Street,
Keiser, Pa.

BORDEN, NED W. Philadelphia County

4195

April 14, 1938. Sentence suspended upon payment of costs.

Fraudulent conversion

December 14, 1938. Application for pardon refused.

February 3, 1939. Reargument granted.

Maxwell S. Rosenfeld, Esquire,
1800 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadephia, Pa.

DeBELLIS, ANGELO

Philadelphia and Montgomery Counties

4271

August 15, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for burglary.

Burglary, riotous destruction of buildings

August 27, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 2 years for riotous destruction of buildings. Sentence to begin at the expiration of original sentence. Maximum sentence expires August 15, 1950.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

March 2, 1939. Reargument granted.

Israel Stiefel, Esquire,
Philadelphia Saving Fund Society Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

FIDELIBUS, NICHOLAS — Philadelphia County

3906

April 22, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from October 22, 1936.

Assault and battery with intent to ravish

August 18, 1938. Application for commutation filed.

September 21, 1938. Continued to February session.

February 14, 1939. Continued to March session.

Thomas J. Minnick, Jr., Esquire,
1106 City Centre Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

FORGIONE, ANTHONY Philadelphia County

4327

Entering with intent to commit a felony, robbery

June 29, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from March 5, 1937.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Nathaniel S. Shaham, Esquire,
923 Bankers Securities Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GINALDI, ANTHONY Philadelphia County

3679

Robbery, carrying concealed deadly weapons

September 23, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 20 years.

Applications for commutation refused April 20, 1938, and December 14, 1938.

February 3, 1939. Reargument granted.

Samuel F. Pepper, Esquire,
803-05 Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GRENFELL, ALBERT SCHOFIELD

Philadelphia County

4315

Operating automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor

June 17, 1937. Placed on probation for 1 year.

February 14, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. Albert S. Grenfell,
1423 North 55th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GROSS, HERMAN Philadelphia County

2959

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

February 1, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 20 years.

November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

February 16, 1939. Reargument granted.

Reverend Robert J. Booth,
Glenfield, N. Y.

HURT, ALLEN Philadelphia County

4329

Larceny

May 15, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from May 16, 1938.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

E. Washington Rhodes, Esquire,
526 South 16th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LAMSON, MICHAEL Philadelphia County

4309

December 8, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 3 to 6 years.

Receiving stolen goods

February 2, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Jacob Boonin, Esquire,
1106 Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LAVIN, THOMAS Philadelphia County

4320

March 3, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Murder, second degree

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Earl Willoughby,
6751 Paschall Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LINDENMUTH, EARL Philadelphia County

4323 March 9, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for whom 5 to 10 years.

Robbery February 14, 1939. Application commutation filed.

Charles W. Sweeney, Esquire,
2518 Lewis Tower Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MITCHELL, WALTER NELSON

4296

Murder, first degree

Philadelphia County

November 22, 1926. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

January 18, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

February 14, 1939. Continued to March session.

George J. Mallen, Esquire,
2318 Packard Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SAMSON, ABRAHAM Philadelphia County

4328

Involuntary manslaughter

March 7, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 1 to 2 years. Sentence to be computed from March 10, 1938.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

William A. Gray, Esquire,
2100 Girard Trust Company Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SHEVLIN, JOHN HUGH Philadelphia County

4333

Conspiracy

April 9, 1897. Sentenced to pay a fine of $200.

February 20, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. John Hugh Shevlin,
215 West 21st Street,
New York City, N. Y.

THOMPSON, WILLIAM Philadelphia County

4274

October 2, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 20 years.

Robbery

December 30, 1938. Application for pardon filed.

February 14, 1939. Continued to March session.

John R. K. Scott, Esquire,
313 North American Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

ZUPITO, DOMINICK Philadephia County

4325

Breaking and entering, attempted larceny

September 13, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from August 31, 1937.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Zupito,
1301 South Colorado Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

DAYNAROWICZ, STANLEY

Schuylkill County

3031

February 13, 1922. Sentenced to be electrocuted.

October 10, 1922. Sentence commuted to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

June 19, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

February 2, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Ralph C. Busser, Jr., Esquire,
21 South 12th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LEONARD, MARK Tioga County

3911

December 22, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from September 2, 1937.

Assault and battery, attempted rape

September 22, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Hattie McCracken,
Grover, Pa.

BANKY, LOUIS

4311

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, breaking and escaping penitentiary

Washington and Centre Counties

April 7, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 8½ to 17 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon.

November 13, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 9½ to 19 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence April 7, 1947.

February 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

COURTWRIGHT, RAY

4334

Larceny of a motor vehicle

J. B. F. Rinehart, Esquire,
Waynesburg, Pa.

Washington County

April 23, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 5 years.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

RESETAR, GEORGE Washington County

3244

February 14, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7 to 14 years. Sentence to be computed from February 15, 1934, but in prison since November 24, 1933.

Murder, second degree

Applications for commutation refused February 24, 1937, December 16, 1937, and September 21, 1938.

February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Mary Resetar,
Giffan Avenue,
Canonsburg, Pa.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

WATSON, JACOB Wayne County

4318 December 17, 1934. Sentenced to pay a fine of $5,000, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years.

Accessory before and after the fact February 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Louis A. Fine, Esquire,
Honesdale, Pa.

Walter H. Compton, Esquire,
Harrisburg, Pa.

BRINER, CHARLES R.

4313

Statutory rape

Mr. William H. Briner,
119 Keihl Street,
Aliquippa, Pa.

Westmoreland County

December 9, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from September 23, 1937.

February 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

SHOWERS, CLARK Westmoreland County

3355

November 2, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 9 to 18 years.

Robbery, attempted robbery, assault and battery with intent to rape

May 18, 1937. Application for commutation continued.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
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January 27, 1939. Governor issued warrant setting execution for week beginning March 27, 1939.

Murder, first degree (capital case)

February 24, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

March 23, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

March 24, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning April 24, 1939.

March 24, 1939. Reargument granted.

Charles E. Mills, Esquire,
Sayre, Pa.

Robert W. Trembath, Esquire,
Tunkhannock, Pa.

MILLER, RALPH J. Adams County

4366

Accessory before the fact, larceny

April 30, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from July 29, 1938.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Carrie B. Miller,
37 Hanover Street,
Gettysburg, Pa.

SHIRLEY, ROBERT

4367

Larceny

Mrs. Gladys Shirley,
R. F. D. No. 2,
Fairfield, Pa.

Adams County

April 30, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

BARONETSKI, MICHAEL

Allegheny County

4368

April 27, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years.

Entering a building

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

CRITES, EDWARD Allegheny County

4347

Sodomy, statutory rape

November 7, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from May 11, 1938.

March 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roberts,
143 Spring Street,
Aliquippa, Pa.

Mrs. Christa Crites,
3216 McClurg Street,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

HANNA,
JOHN STEEL, JR.

Allegheny County

4371

December 18, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Voluntary manslaughter

March 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

W. H. Coleman, Esquire,
728 Frick Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

HINDMAN,
OTTO ALLEN

Allegheny County

2093

May 2, 1930. Sentenced to pay a fine of $1000, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Murder, second degree

Applications for commutation refused November 21, 1934, May 15, 1935, May 20, 1936, May 19, 1937, December 16, 1937, and June 29, 1938.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

MORATAL, ANTONIO Allegheny County

4281

September 18, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 10 years.

March 18, 1931. Released on parole.

Robbery, receiving stolen goods

September 22, 1937. Returned to the Western State Penitentiary for parole violation.

January 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

February 14, 1939. Continued to April session.

Charles S. Gilmer, Esquire,
2410 North Second Street,
Harrisburg, Pa.

MOREL, BARTOLO Allegheny County

4364

Rape

September 25, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Homer S. Brown, Esquire,
1004 Wylie Avenue,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

RACKCLIFFE, FRANK Allegheny County

4351

April 9, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Statutory rape

March 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Grace Rackcliffe,
321 Boggston Avenue,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ROSS, JAMES ARCO

2565

Robbery, breaking and escaping penitentiary

Allegheny and Centre Counties

June 20, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years for robbery.

November 10, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence July 2, 1940.

Applications for commutation refused October 16, 1935 and October 21, 1936.

March 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

STEWART, JAMES Allegheny County

4345

Robbery, receiving stolen goods

February 20, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from March 2, 1933.

March 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

WATERS, STEPHEN D.

3923

Robbery, larceny of automobile, escaping penitentiary

Allegheny and Centre Counties

June 10, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 13 years for robbery, larceny of automobile.

February 19, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 15 years for escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence.

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bruneni,
1011 Grand Avenue,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

RILEY, FRANK Armstrong County

4352

December 28, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. John E. Riley,
72 Elm Street,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

KARCIS, PAUL S. Beaver County

3876

Statutory rape

December 29, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from December 18, 1937.

September 21, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Karcis,
Mrs. Mary Karcis,
1140 Pennsylvania Avenue,
Monaca, Pa.

Mrs. Mildred Walters,
1123 Pacific Avenue,
Monaca, Pa.

FEATHERS, HARVEY

4349

Murder, first degree

Bedford County

April 18, 1929. Sentenced to death.

October 24, 1929. Sentence commuted to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

March 7, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Alvin L. Little, Esquire,
Bedford, Pa.

GAMBER, BENJAMIN HARRISON

1934

Murder, second degree

Bedford County

April 20, 1931. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Applications for commutation refused September 20, 1934, May 20, 1936, December 16, 1937 and June 28, 1938.

March 3, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. W. B. Brown,
403 North Lynn Street,
Champaign, Ill.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

WAGNER,
HERMAN DEWEY

Berks County

4350

Murder, first degree

June 13, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

March 7, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Charles M. Willits, Esquire,
1421 Chestnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

COWELL, EDWARD M. Bradford County

3886

Solicitation to commit sodomy

December 9, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $1000, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 5 years.

September 21, 1938. Application for pardon refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Lilley and Wilson, Esquires,
Towanda, Pa.

HUNSINGER, DANIEL Bradford County

4365

Breaking and entering, larceny

March 7, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 10 years.

March 10, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

DOWGWILLO, JOSEPH

3202

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, larceny, receiving stolen goods

Bucks County

December 6, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 12 to 24 years.

Applications for commutation refused January 28, 1937, April 20, 1938, and October 18, 1938.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

ROGALSKI, WALTER Bucks County

4378

February 16, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years.

Arson

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Wynne James, Jr., Esquire,
Doylestown, Pa.

FILIPPONE, JAMES Butler County

3922

Accessory before the fact, robbery

January 10, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from January 5, 1938.

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Karle Truby,
Butler, Pa.

ROSENBAUM, MURRAY A.

Butler County

4376

Violation of Pennsylvania Securities Act and obtaining money under false pretense

August 27, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years.

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

David M. Kaufman, Esquire,
1108 Plaza Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ROSS, JOHN EARL Carbon County

2369

September 18, 1931. Sentenced to pay a fine of $1000, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years.

Robbery

August 16, 1935. Sentence commuted.

March 10, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. John E. Ross,
R. F. D. No. 2,
Lambertville, N. J.

PATELMO, MARIANO Chester County

833

February 3, 1922. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 29 to 30 years.

Robbery

June 22, 1932. Sentence commuted.

March 9, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Jerome A. O'Neill, Esquire,
929 Land Title Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

WADE, RICHARD

4362

Burglary, larceny

W. W. MacElree, Esquire,
609 South High Street,
West Chester, Pa.

Chester County .

April 25, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

MONTGOMERY, JAMES Clarion County

1830

May 31, 1930. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

June 20, 1934. Application for commutation refused.

Murder, first degree

December 14, 1938. Application for commutation filed.

February 8, 1939. Continued to April session.

George F. Whitmer, Esquire,
Clarion, Pa.

DAVIS, JULES Columbia County.

3690 May 8, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years.

Forgery Applications for commutation refused April 20, 1938, and October 18, 1938.

March 3, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Alex Marcus, Esquire,
Scranton Electric Building,
Scranton, Pa.

JONES, MORRIS V. Crawford County

4341

Perjury

September 26, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1 to 7 years. Sentence to be computed from September 20, 1938.

February 20, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Donald C. Thompson, Esquire,
358 Cherry Lane,
Meadville, Pa.

ZONE, JOHN

4375

Perjury

Crawford County

September 26, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1 to 7 years.

March 15, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

George J. Barco, Esquire,
357 Center Street,
Meadville, Pa.

BROWN, GEORGE D.

3885

Conspiracy, assault and battery, robbery, carrying concealed deadly weapons

Mrs. Mary E. Brown,
120 North East Street,
Carlisle, Pa.

Cumberland County

September 21, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years.

September 22, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

HURLEY, IRA W. Cumberland County

3947

April 8, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 year, 3 months to 2½ years.

Larceny

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Ester Hurley,
138 East Liberty Avenue,
Carlisle, Pa.

BURKE, JOHN Delaware County

4348

Arson, conspiracy

July 29, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $300, and to imprisonment in the Delaware County Prison for from 3 to 10 years.

March 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Raymond R. Start, Esquire,
Pennsylvania Company Bank Bldg.,
Upper Darby, Pa.

LEITZ, RUDOLPH

3928

Larceny of automobile, riotous destruction of buildings

Delaware and Montgomery Counties

March 4, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 10 years for larceny of automobile. Sentence to be computed from March 8, 1932.

September 19, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for riotous destruction of buildings. Sentence to begin at expiration of maximum of original sentence March 4, 1942.

October 19, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Nathan Markmann, Esquire,
1211 Chestnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

VITKOW, MARTIN FRANCIS

Delaware County

4332

Breaking and entering, larceny

February 3, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from January 4, 1938.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

March 22, 1939. Continued to April session.

Frank J. Marolla, Esquire,
912 Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

WOJNAROWSKI, FRANK — Erie County

1698 — September 17, 1927. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree — Applications for commutation refused March 21, 1934, December 19, 1934, September 26, 1935, April 20, 1938 and October 19, 1938.

March 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Stella Jasinski,
Mr. John Adam Wojnarowski,
318 Lake Shore Drive,
East Dunkirk, N. Y.

CRAMER, NATHANIEL

3007

Assault and battery with intent to ravish; rape, incestuous fornication

Fayette County

March 9, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years.

Applications for commutation refused June 18, 1936, and October 19, 1938.

March 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Charles S. Gilmer, Esquire,
2410 North Second Street,
Harrisburg, Pa.

SHANABERGER, WILLIAM

Fayette County

3551

Robbery, larceny, receiving stolen goods, assault with intent to rob, robbery, aggravated assault and battery

March 7, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

December 16, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. J. R. Smiley,
52 East Main Street,
Uniontown, Pa.

SMITH, SARAH E.

4392

Abortion

Fayette County

July 1, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the State Industrial Home for Women for from 2 to 4 years.

April 3, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Wade K. Newell, Esquire,
Blackstone Building,
Uniontown, Pa.

SHIFLETT,
NOAH THOMAS

Franklin County

4369

Felonious assault and battery with intent to kill

July 16, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from July 3, 1938.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Noah T. Shiflett,
224 West Fourth Street,
Waynesboro, Pa.

Mr. Thomas Shiflett,
Wallville, Md.

HAINZER, HERMAN Greene County

3889

Breaking and entering, larceny

January 15, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from December 28, 1937.

September 21, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

BANNON, JOSEPH A. Lackawanna County

2750

Burglary

April 16, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

January 15, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

March 15, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Alphonsus L. Casey, Esquire,
604 Scranton Lackawanna Trust Building,
Scranton, Pa.

CIONGOLI, JAMES

3929

Transporting a female for immoral purpose

Lackawanna County

October 20, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from June 15, 1937.

October 19, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. William Reis,
1226 South Main Avenue,
Scranton, Pa.

MEDINSKI, CHARLES

2537

Burglary, breaking and entering with intent to steal

Lackawanna County

May 7, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

December 13, 1935. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BECK, LESTER

3183

Felonious entry, larceny

Lancaster County

January 23, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 18 to 38 years. Sentence to be computed from November 21, 1931.

Applications for commutation refused December 18, 1936, November 17, 1937 and September 22, 1938.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Bertha Beck,
Main Street,
Akron, Pa.

KERCHER,
FREDERICK A.

Lebanon County

4355

Robbery, larceny, assault with intent to kill

June 29, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Clarence D. Becker, Esquire,
Lebanon, Pa.

WHITE, CHARLES H. Lebanon County.

4361

September 11, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years.

Statutory rape

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Harry E. Miller,
9th and Church Streets,
Lebanon, Pa.

STELIGO, JOSEPH Lehigh County

4373

Robbery, aggravated assault and battery, larceny, receiving stolen goods.

March 10, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $250, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Frank J. Flannery, Esquire,
Cash Block Building,
Pittston, Pa.

MOCARSKY, JOHN

4358

Assault with intent to commit robbery

Luzerne County

May 29, 1931. Sentenced to pay a fine of $300, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Committed to prison March 21, 1931.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

John Skweir, Esquire,
McAdoo, Pa.

POLITZ, FRANK Luzerne County

2968

February 6, 1932. Sentenced to pay a fine of $5000, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Robbery

June 19, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Michael C. Bernat,
60 Charles Street,
Ashley, Pa.

VAN STEENBURG, EARL

1092

Robbery

Luzerne County

March 21, 1925. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to begin March 21, 1930, at the expiration of 5 years back time of 5 to 10 years sentence for robbery.

Applications for commutation refused January 18, 1933, January 17, 1934, November 21, 1934, September 27, 1935, June 19, 1936 and March 16, 1938.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

IOZIA, THOMAS McKean County

4357

Robbery

October 7, 1933. Sentenced to pay a fine of $2000, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Fred Senz,
25 Gennessee Avenue,
Patterson, N. J.

BILINSKI, JOHN Monroe County

3972

May 10, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from April 7, 1938.

Robbery

October 19, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Frank I. A. Kent, Esquire,
614 Central Avenue,
East Orange, N. J.

KEIPER, ARTHUR W. Monroe County

2544

May 11, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Breaking and entering, larceny

Applications for commutation refused October 17, 1935, May 20, 1936, November 19, 1936, June 18, 1937, April 20, 1938 and October 19, 1938.

March 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Anna Keiper,
R. F. D. No. 1,
Bartonsville, Pa.

MYERS, RALPH D. Monroe County

3629

Conspiracy to rob, breaking and entering, larceny

December 13, 1934. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6½ to 13 years.

Applications for commutation refused February 16, 1938 and September 22, 1938.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

YENKOSKY,
ALBERT J. W.

Monroe County

3727

April 26, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from April 30, 1935.

Robbery

May 25, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Edward A. Pitkus,
Mr. Edward A. Bubel,
Middleport, Pa.

DAVIS, THOMAS LUND Montgomery County

4190

Statutory rape, rape

September 20, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

November 15, 1938. Application for commutation filed.

December 15, 1938. Continued to March session.

March 22, 1939. Continued to April session.

Frank J. Marolla, Jr., Esquire,
912 Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

HENON, JOHN PHILLIP

1908

Felonious entry, possession of burglary tools, entering with intent to steal

Montgomery and Philadelphia Counties

January 2, 1931. Sentenced in Montgomery County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 9 to 18 years for felonious entry, possession of burglary tools.

February 6, 1931. Sentenced in Philadelphia County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 9 to 18 years for entering with intent to steal. This sentence to run concurrent with original sentence.

Applications for commutation refused September 20, 1934, January 15, 1936, October 22, 1936, September 22, 1937 and October 19, 1938.

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LEVINSKY, BENJAMIN JOSEPH

Montgomery County

2407

Robbery

April 9, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Detainer filed by Western State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused July 12, 1935, February 19, 1936, October 22, 1936, June 18, 1937, and May 24, 1938.

February 20, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Miss Adelle Sulecki,
743 Bradley Street,
Bridgeport, Pa.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

HESSE, ALFRED Northampton County

3848

Assault and battery with intent to kill

April 4, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years. Sentence to be computed from March 28, 1938.

October 19, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Charlotte Hesse,
120 South Fifth Street,
Easton, Pa.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

ALMEIDA, DAVID

4344

Larceny of automobile, assault with intent to rob

Philadelphia County

December 6, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 1 to 5 years for larceny of automobile.

October 29, 1934. Released on parole.

January 6, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for assault with intent to rob. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence.

March 2, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Frederick Beyer, Esquire,
3304 North 5th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BOSTON, WALTER Philadelphia County

4354

Murder, second degree

June 30, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Committed to prison April 11, 1931.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Samuel A. Levin, Esquire,
N. W. Corner 12th and Girard Ave.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CALABRESE, JOHN Philadelphia County

4046

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

June 4, 1928. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from November 4, 1929.

Applications for commutation refused October 21, 1936, June 17, 1937 and May 24, 1938.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Alexander Bonavitacola, Esquire,
Pennsylvania Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CARTO, JOSEPH Philadelphia County

3664

Robbery

August 25, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5½ to 20 years.

March 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 20, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Thomas J. Minnick, Jr., Esquire,
1106 City Centre Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CLARK, WILLIAM A. Philadelphia County

4343 March 29, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and costs.

Violation of liquor laws February 27, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Charles W. Sweeney, Esquire,
2518 Lewis Tower Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CONNER, ALBERT

4377

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Philadelphia County

January 22, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 20 years.

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Lula Johnson,
2335 Gross Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Alfred Harries,
311 South Juniper Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

DEL ROSSI, FRED Philadelphia County

4370

Unlawful possession and transportation of intoxicating liquor

January 17, 1929. Placed on probation for one year.

March 13, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Americo V. Cortese, Esquire,
815 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

DeLUCA, MENOTTI Philadelphia County

2916

Murder, second degree

April 27, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from February 28, 1931.

May 20, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Yale L. Schekter, Esquire,
1000 Provident Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

DROST, ALEXANDER Philadelphia County

3500

Murder, first degree

September 25, 1928. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

November 17, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Louis F. McCabe, Esquire,
938 Commercial Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

JONES, PAUL Philadelphia County

3176

Murder, first degree

April 27, 1923. Sentenced to be electrocuted.

September 27, 1923. Sentence commuted to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary. Sentence to be computed from October 11, 1923.

December 18, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Carl E. Geuther, Esquire,
1119-21 Widener Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

JORDAN,
THOMAS GERALD

Philadelphia County

4339

June 17, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Attempted robbery

July 6, 1936. Transferred to Philadelphia County Prison.

February 20, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Fred C. Gartner, Esquire,
502 Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

KIEFABER, WILLIAM

4340

Larceny of automobile, robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Philadelphia County

September 29, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 2 to 10 years for larceny of automobile.

October 20, 1932. Released on parole.

January 24, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 12 to 24 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon.

February 20, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire,
Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LAWS, ISAAC Philadelphia County

4360

Robbery

November 17, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LIEBERMAN, JULIUS Philadelphia County

3912

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

March 29, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years for robbery.

September 29, 1935. Released on parole.

November 12, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon. Maximum of original sentence expires March 29, 1938.

August 23, 1938. Application for pardon filed.

September 21, 1939. Held under advisement.

November 17, 1939. Application for pardon refused.

April 4, 1939. Reargument granted.

Herman Steerman, Esquire,
1600 Walnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. J. Lieberman,
40 North Edgewood Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LOEFFLER, CHRISTIAN

Philadelphia County

4342

Conspiracy

June 24, 1938. Sentenced to 3 months in the Philadelphia County Prison.

February 27, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Fred C. Gartner, Esquire,
Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LOMBARDO, ANTHONY Philadelphia County

4372

Robbery, entering with intent to commit a felony, violation of Firearms Act

April 18, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from April 14, 1938.

March 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

George Gurdon Fay, Esquire,
1414 Lincoln-Liberty Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LOVUOLO, SILVIO Philadelphia County

3767

Robbery

March 12, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

September 21, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Bernard R. Cohn, Esquire,
913 Franklin Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MANDERFIELD, WILLIAM D. — Philadelphia County

3635 — September 5, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Murder, second degree — February 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Louis F. McCabe, Esquire,
938 Commercial Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MATTHEWS, JOSEPH

2224

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Mr. Walter Matthews,
3317 North 21st Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia County

January 7, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Applications for commutation refused March 20, 1935, October 16, 1935, February 24, 1937 and March 16, 1938.

February 20, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

McCOY, WILLIAM

4363

Aggravated assault and battery

Philadelphia County

January 17, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from December 31, 1937.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Samuel A. Levin, Esquire,
N. W. Corner 12th and Girard Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

McNEARY, JOSEPH Philadelphia County

3829

Assault with intent to rob, robbery, assault and battery

December 23, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from December 8, 1937.

June 27, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Maurice S. Osser, Esquire,
122 South 4th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MOSKOWITZ, DAVID Philadelphia County

4337

March 12, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and disfranchisement for 4 years.

Violation of election laws

February 17, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Americo V. Cortese, Esquire,
813 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MOSKOWITZ, SOL Philadelphia County

4338

March 4, 1936. Sentenced to 30 days in the Philadelphia County Prison and disfranchisement.

Violation of election laws

February 17, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Americo V. Cortese, Esquire,
813 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MULLIN, ALOYSIUS Philadelphia County

4374

May 29, 1925. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 2 to 4 years.

Receiving stolen goods

December 13, 1926. Released on parole.

March 15, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Edward W. Leitz, Esquire,
1703 Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

O'NEILL,
JOHN JOSEPH

Philadelphia County

2666

September 18, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

Applications for commutation refused February 19, 1936 and January 19, 1938.

January 19, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

February 14, 1939. Continued to April session.

Thomas D. McBride, Esquire,
702 Liberty Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

PALMER, JOHN Philadelphia County

4356

March 11, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years.

Voluntary manslaughter

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Charles Schleich,
7024 Reedland Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

POLSINELLI, FRANCESCO

Philadelphia County

4346

Voluntary manslaughter

November 20, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from July 22, 1936.

March 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Albert Merdian,
Miss Margaret Merdian,
2025 South Simpson Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

RELLSTAB, ALFRED H. Philadelphia County

3666

Rape, attempted rape

March 20, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

March 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 2, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Ben Hazard,
425 Hoffnagle Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SCHUCK,
OTTO WILLIAM

Philadelphia County

3413

Robbery

April 12, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 30 years.

Applications for commutation refused September 23, 1937, February 16, 1938, and September 21, 1938.

March 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Ella Schuck,
1334 North Newkirk Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

VECCHIOLLI, FRANK Philadelphia County

3902

Robbery

November 8, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 25 years. Sentence to be computed from November 9, 1937.

September 21, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Maurice E. Levick, Esquire,
711 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

WRIGHT, WILLIAM Philadelphia County

4353

Larceny, assault and battery, robbery.

February 29, 1928. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 9 to 18 months for larceny, assault and battery.

November 29, 1928. Released on parole.

January 8, 1929. Senteneed to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for robbery.

January 9, 1939. Released on parole and returned to Philadelphia County Prison for parole violation. Maximum of original sentenee expires August 30, 1939. Maximum of seeond sentenee expires January 8, 1949.

Mareh 9, 1939. Applieation for eommutation filed.

Samuel A. Levin, Esquire,
N. W. Corner 12th Street and Girard Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

KLOIBER,
WILLIAM R.

Schuylkill County

4359

March 7, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 11 to 22 years.

Robbery, attempt to rob

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

ORLANDO, ANTHONY

3644

Murder, second degree

Schuylkill County

July 13, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from November 5, 1934.

March 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 17, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

H. O. Bechtel, Esquire,
Pottsville, Pa.

Mr. V. F. Bruno,
Kelayres, Pa.

BAYLESS, HENRY L.

4206

Fraudulently making a written instrument

Susquehanna County

June 6, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years.

December 15, 1938. Application for pardon refused.

February 17, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Elbert L. Davies, Esquire,
Montrose, Pa.

HARRIS, HARRY

3277

Robbery, larceny

Westmoreland, Indiana and Armstrong Counties

December 27, 1933. Sentenced in Westmoreland County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7 to 14 years.

June 24, 1935. Sentenced in Indiana County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1 year, 1 day to 3 years. Sentence to begin December 27, 1940.

August 24, 1935. Sentenced in Armstrong County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1 to 3 years. Sentence to begin December 28, 1941.

Applications for commutation refused March 24, 1937, December 20, 1937, and October 19, 1938.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Sara G. Elder,
R. D. 1,
New Alexandria, Pa.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

HIATT, CHESTER D. York County

4336

Incestuous adultery

October 10, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 2 years. Sentence to be computed from August 6, 1938.

February 17, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

William W. Wogan, Esquire,
11 East Market Street,
York, Pa.

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4389

Robbery

May 18, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from April 18, 1938.

March 29, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Miss Mary Czajkowski,
23 Orchid Street,
McKees Rocks, Pa.

FELA, JOHN Allegheny County

4405

Entering a building

May 18, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from April 18, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

FORESTAL, EDWARD J.

2910

Robbery, receiving stolen goods, breaking and escaping penitentiary

Allegheny and Centre Counties

August 29, 1924. Sentenced in Allegheny County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for robbery, receiving stolen goods.

September 1, 1933. Sentenced in Centre County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence March 7, 1939.

April 15, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

February 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

March 8, 1939. Continued to May session.

Mr. A. W. Mattox,
Room 3, Court House,
Baltimore, Md.

JOHNSTON, ELMER CLYDE — Allegheny County

2016

Murder, first degree

March 23, 1923. Sentenced to be electrocuted.

April 25, 1923. Sentence commuted to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary. Sentence to be computed from May 2, 1924.

Applications for commutation refused November 21, 1934, July 11, 1935, June 17, 1936, May 19, 1937, April 20, 1938, and November 16, 1938.

March 27, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend R. J. G. McKnight,
1311 Singer Place,
Wilkinsburg, Pa.

KURCHEK, JOSEPH Allegheny County

4385

May 17, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Robbery

March 27, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Miss Mary Kurchek,
1712 Fifth Avenue,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

MEEHAN, THOMAS J. Allegheny County

4418

Receiving stolen goods, accessory after the fact

May 28, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 15 months to 2 years.

April 14, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Warren O. MacLean, Esquire,
1803 Law and Finance Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

MILLER, LESTER Allegheny County

4409

October 22, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Robbery

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

MOSCARDELLI, LADINO — Allegheny County

1679

June 14, 1912. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 12 to 15 years.

June 14, 1924. Released on parole.

Murder, second degree

March 8, 1927. Sentenced to imprisonment in the New Jersey State Prison for from 20 to 30 years for carrying concealed deadly weapons.

March 21, 1934. Application for commutation refused.

March 31, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

George A. Capelli, Esquire,
437 Central Avenue,
Jersey City, N. J.

NUCCI, FRANK Allegheny County

4111 March 14, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Robbery November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Edward C. Boyle, Esquire,
609 Plaza Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

O'DONNELL, FRANCIS J. — Allegheny County

3312

Robbery

December 13, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

April 21, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

April 4, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

John J. McGrath, Esquire,
1400 Jones Law Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

WARMACK, ANDREW Allegheny County

4410

April 6, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years.

Felonious assault and battery

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

WEBB,
EMMETT ELIAS

Allegheny County

4393

August 1, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7 to 14 years.

Burglary

April 3, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ZEPPENFELD, HOWARD MERLE

Allegheny County

4408

Sodomy

May 11, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Catharine Zeppenfeld,
1025 Taylor Way,
Wilkinsburg, Pa.

CONCELMAN, EDWARD G.

Beaver County

1395

Robbery, receiving stolen goods

December 15, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years.

October 3, 1934. Sentence commuted.

August 9, 1938. Returned to the Western State Penitentiary for parole violation.

November 14, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. George Concelman,
Rochester, Pa.

NUDI, ANTONIO Beaver County

3762 March 25, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Voluntary manslaughter June 28, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 20, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

DAWES, JAMES Bedford County

4411

Robbery

December 10, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

GILES, JAMES C.

4424

Breaking and entering, larceny

Berks County

December 22, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $1,000, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years.

April 17, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

M. B. Hoffman, Esquire,
43 North Sixth Street,
Reading, Pa.

Warren K. Hess, Esquire,
526 Washington Street,
Reading, Pa.

KERNS, EARL G. Berks County

1926

December 19, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Berks County Prison for from 1½ to 3 years for aggravated assault and battery with intent to kill.

February 20, 1932. Escaped prison.

March 2, 1932. Above sentence modified and sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years.

Aggravated assault and battery with intent to kill, breaking and escaping penitentiary

September 20, 1934. Application for commutation refused.

June 23, 1936. Released on parole.

September 22, 1937. Returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for violation of parole.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BUSSLER, GEORGE C.

Blair County

3787

May 28, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years.

Statutory rape

June 28, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. George C. Bussler,
R. F. D. No 1, Box 265,
Altoona, Pa.

BOUGHTON, CHARLES H.

Bradford and Centre Counties

2398

February 10, 1928. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for larceny, burglary.

Larceny, burglary, break- and escaping penitentiary.

May 23, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. This sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence February 15, 1938.

Applications for commutation refused July 11, 1935, May 20, 1936, and November 17, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. C. E. Irons,
Elkland, Pa.

KEENEY,
PAUL EDGAR

Bradford County

4391

Larceny

November 7, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from October 10, 1938.

March 30, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Gladys Keeney,
110 Washington Street,
Towanda, Pa.

EDWARDS, CHARLES O.

Bucks County

4425

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, aggravated assault and battery, assault and battery

September 1, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 9 to 18 years.

April 19, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Paul S. Lehman, Esquire,
26 North Main Street,
Lewistown, Pa.

GUCCIARDO, GIACOMO

Bucks County

2252

December 3, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

Applications for commutation refused May 1, 1935, November 17, 1937, and November 21, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

HOSTETLER, ELMER Cambria County

3379

August 26, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Rape, incestuous adultery

Applications for commutation refused June 18, 1937, and November 17, 1938.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

SUGARICK, JOSEPH Cambria County

2342

March 25, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

July 11, 1935. Application for commutation refused.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Anna Hoapalo,
1113 Avenue O,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

ARMENTO, HOWARD J. Chester County

4382

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

May 2, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years.

March 24, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Frank M. Lario, Esquire,
1207 West Jersey Trust Building,
Camden, N. J.

Dr. L. R. Palese,
331 Walnut Street,
Camden, N. J.

BRENNEMAN, WILBUR P. — Chester County

3947 — June 7, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years.

Larceny, burglary — October 31, 1938. Sentence commuted.

March 31, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. Wilbur P. Brenneman,
R. F. D. No. 1,
Malvern, Pa.

MARTINELLI, GUERINO

Clarion County

4380

Felonious assault

December 11, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 7 years. Sentence to be computed from November 19, 1937.

March 20, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

A. R. Cingolani, Esquire,
406-7 Butler County National Bank Building,
Butler, Pa.

CONLAN, EDWARD J. Cumberland County

4404

Larceny

December 10, 1927. Sentenced to prisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 30 years.

September 26, 1931. Released on parole.

July 29, 1934. Returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for parole violation.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MOWERS, JAMES S. Cumberland County

4383

May 25, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Committed to prison February 13, 1937.

Statutory rape

March 24, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Robert Lee Jacobs, Esquire,
Sentinel Building,
Carlisle, Pa.

STINGLEY, HAROLD R.

Cumberland County

4105

December 6, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire,
Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

STONER, HARRY Dauphin County

1887

December 11, 1930. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

Applications for commutation refused June 20, 1934, and November 16, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Sadie Stoner,
962 South 19th Street,
Harrisburg, Pa.

Reverend Robert L. Lang,
Middletown, Pa.

BRASHEAR, HAROLD Delaware County

4388

Conspiracy, arson

October 4, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Delaware County Prison for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from July 29, 1936.

March 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Michael S. Reps, Esquire,
City Centre Building,
Chester, Pa.

BRENNAN, THOMAS Delaware County

4387

June 18, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Delaware County Prison for from 6 to 12 years.

Robbery

March 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Michael S. Reps, Esquire,
City Centre Building,
Chester, Pa.

JOHNSON, JAMES	Delaware and Chester Counties
4399	May 5, 1933. Sentenced in Delaware County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for robbery.
	June 22, 1938. Released on parole.
Robbery, illegal sale of liquor	December 20, 1938. Sentence suspended in Chester County for illegal sale of liquor and returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for parale violation. Maximum of original sentence expires September 5, 1943.
	April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SHANABERGER, WILLIAM

3551

Robbery, larceny, receiving stolen goods, assault with intent to rob, robbery, aggravated assault and battery

Fayette County

March 7, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

December 16, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

March 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

April 4, 1939. Continued to May session.

Mr. J. R. Smiley,
52 East Main Street,
Uniontown, Pa.

OYLER, BENNETT Y. Franklin County

4417

July 17, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years.

Rape

April 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

George S. Black, Esquire,
12 Central Avenue,
Chambersburg, Pa.

ROMANOSKY, FRANK Franklin County

4421

January 28, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Felonious entry, larceny

April 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Edward Yawars, Jr., Esquire,
508 Connell Building,
Scranton, Pa.

SACKETT, FORY Franklin County

3868

September 20, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years.

Robbery

September 22, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MULLENAUX, GLENN Greene County

4398

Breaking and entering, larceny

January 15, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from December 27, 1937.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

BEJGER, JOSEPH Lackawanna County

4420

February 7, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years for larceny.

February 7, 1933. Released on parole.

Larceny, burglary

October 6, 1934. Sentenced to im-imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years for burglary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence October 6, 1938.

April 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Taylor, Jr., Esquire,
Brooks Building,
Scranton, Pa.

CHIVERS, ELLSWORTH B.

Lackawanna County

4422

May 31, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years.

Embezzlement

April 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Edward Yawars, Jr., Esquire,
508 Connell Building,
Scranton, Pa.

DIABALKO, STEPHEN Lackawanna County

4390

September 23, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years.

Burglary

March 29, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Alphonsus L. Casey, Esquire,
604 Scranton-Lackawanna Trust Building,
Scranton, Pa.

GURDOCK, WALTER Lackawanna County

4419

Breaking and entering, larceny

December 12, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years.

April 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Walter W. Kaczmarek, Esquire,
508 Connell Building,
Scranton, Pa.

KOKOSINSKI, EDWARD S.

Lackawanna County

4401

December 12, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years.

Breaking and entering, larceny

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Alice Kokosinski,
1265 Reynolds Avenue,
Scranton, Pa.

Mr. John Serafin,
503 West Taylor Street,
Taylor, Pa.

SICKLER, ELLSWORTH J. — Lackawanna County

3193 — October 8, 1927. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

Burglary — Applications for commutation refused January 27, 1937, November 17, 1937, and September 22, 1938.

April 3, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Irene Irving,
213 Alder Street,
Scranton, Pa.

WOYDAKOSKI, EDWARD

Lackawanna County

4414

Burglary

October 23, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years. Sentence to be computed from August 23, 1936, but has been in prison since March 10, 1936.

April 11, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

John J. Sirotnak, Esquire,
401 Lincoln Trust Building,
Scranton, Pa.

WYLE,
AUSBEN KENNETH

Lackawanna County

1878

June 3, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Assault with intent to rob

June 20, 1934. Application for commutation refused.

April 17, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Louis Lipschitz, Esquire,
807 Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BADORF, BENJAMIN

2486

Felonious entry, larceny, driving an automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor

Mr. Allen Badorf,
351 Hand Avenue,
Lancaster, Pa.

Lancaster and Lebanon Counties

February 13, 1932. Sentenced in Lancaster County to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years for felonious entry, larceny.

November 13, 1935. Sentence commuted.

April 23, 1937. Sentence suspended in Lebanon County for driving an automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor and returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for parole violation. Maximum sentence expires June 23, 1948.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

SEEVERS,
JOHN DEWEY

Lawrence County

4415

January 30, 1930. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

April 12, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Robert E. Woodside, Jr., Esquire,
Union Trust Building,
Harrisburg, Pa.

NICHOLAS, SAMUEL

4397

Voluntary manslaughter

Lebanon County

October 16, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from June 15, 1937.

April 5, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

L. E. Meyer, Esquire,
Snavely Building,
Lebanon, Pa.

WILITCH, MATTHEW Luzerne County

4396

Murder, second degree

January 8, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 20 years. Has been in prison since September 28, 1936.

April 5, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Paul R. Selecky, Esquire,
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

ZADILKA, HENRY Luzerne County

2889

October 9, 1934. Senteneed to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

Statutory rape

June 19, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

March 31, 1939. Application fo commutation filed.

Frank Slattery, Jr., Esquire,
1210 Miners Bank Building,
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

JOHNSON, CHARLES

2856

Montgomery County

November 5, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years for felonious entry, larceny

Applications for commutation refused March 25, 1936, and October 22, 1936.

May 29, 1937. Released on parole.

Felonious entry, larceny, operating an automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor

September 26, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Montgomery County Prison for 1 year for operating an automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor.

July 26, 1938. Returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for violation of parole. Maximum of original sentence expires January 2, 1941.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SENAPE, VINCENZO Montgomery County

4403

June 14, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years.

Robbery

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Linn H. Schantz, Esquire,
Commonwealth Building,
Allentown, Pa.

MASON, EARL

4107

Violation of lottery act

Northampton, Bucks and Lehigh Counties

April 19, 1938. Sentenced in Northampton County to imprisonment in the Northampton County Prison for 1 year.

October 19, 1938. Released on parole.

September 7, 1938. Sentenced in Lehigh County to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Lehigh County Prison for 1 year. This sentence to begin at the expiration of Northampton County sentence, October 19, 1938.

October 3, 1938. Sentenced in Bucks County to imprisonment in the Bucks County Prison for from 6 months to 2 years. This sentence to begin at the expiration of Lehigh County sentence. Maximum sentence expires October 19, 1941.

November 17, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 4, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Robert S. Bachman, Esquire,
612-13 First National Bank Building,
Easton, Pa.

NESTERICK, JOHN

Northumberland and Columbia Counties

971

June 10, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for breaking and entering with intent to commit a felony, larceny. Sentence to be computed from May 29, 1929.

September 21, 1932. Application for commutation refused.

Breaking and entering with intent to commit a felony, larceny, involuntary manslaughter

May 29, 1934. Released on parole.

December 14, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Columbia County Prison for 15 months for involuntary manslaughter Sentence to be computed from June 29, 1937.

October 3, 1938. Returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for parole violation. Maximum sentence expires September 29, 1943.

April 3, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BAGBY, EVERETT WILLIAM

Philadelphia County

4412

Murder, second degree

September 24, 1937. Sentenced to the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from June 23, 1937.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

James E. Gallagher, Jr., Esquire,
1907 Packard Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BARKER, EDWARD

3640

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, larceny, receiving stolen goods

Philadelphia County

March 7, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

Applications for commutation refused February 16, 1938, and November 16, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. William Jameson, Jr.,
15 Walker's Bank,
Wilmington, Del.

BELLETTIERE, FRANK JOSEPH

Philadelphia County

3348

Entering with intent to steal, being armed with an offensive weapon

October 31, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

May 19, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

April 17, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Ben S. Altshuler, Esquire,
403-07 North American Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BEVANS, WALTER

2350

Assault and battery with intent to kill

Philadelphia County

April 11, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 14 to 28 years.

Applications for commutation refused March 25, 1936, and January 27, 1937.

April 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

John V. Horan, Esquire,
City Hall,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CARNEY, ROBERT EMMET JOSEPH

Philadelphia County

3726

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

May 25, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 20 years.

May 24, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Miss Margaret Carney,
1948 North Second Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Nathaniel S. Shahan, Esquire,
923 Bankers Securities Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CLARK, WILLIAM A. Philadelphia County

4343

March 29, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and costs.

Violation of liquor laws

February 27, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

April 18, 1939. Continued to May session.

Honorable Charles W. Sweeney,
2518 Lewis Tower Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

DRISCOLL, JAMES J.

4240

Operating auto while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery

Vincent Moranz, Esquire,
1418 Land Title Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia County

May 12, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $700, and placed on probation for 6 years.

March 16, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

GORMAN, JOHN Philadelphia County

2418

September 15, 1924. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 60 years for entering with intent to rob, etc.

Entering with intent to rob, robbery, carrying concealed deadly weapons, breaking and escaping penitentiary

April 26, 1926. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 60 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. This sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence. Maximum sentence expires December 27, 2045.

September 14, 1927. Transferred to the Western State Penitentiary.

July 10, 1935. Application for commutation refused.

March 16, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Edward W. Leitz, Esquire,
1703 Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

HARDY, LAWRENCE LESTER

Philadelphia County

4381

Operating an automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor

April 18, 1932. Placed on probation for 1 year.

March 20, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Louis Lipschitz, Esquire,
807 Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

JAZUKIEWICZ, CHARLES

Philadelphia County

1057

Assault with an offensive weapon, operating an automobile without consent of owner, conspiracy

December 9, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 6 months to 1 year. This sentence to begin at the expiration of original sentence.

Applications for commutation refused November 16, 1932, September 25, 1935, November 18, 1936, March 24, 1937, December 15, 1937, and November 16, 1938.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Felix Kurth,
420 Lawrence Street,
Camden, N. J.

Miss Anna Kessler,
3244 Sansom Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

JONES, JOHN WILLIAM Philadelphia County

3984

January 19, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years.

Larceny, receiving stolen goods

November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 4, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Anna Mae Jones,
2630 North Howard Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LUCY, EDWARD Philadelphia County

3825 April 9, 1928. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree June 27, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Malvin H. Reinheimer, Esquire,
1205 Franklin Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MAGLIONE, CIRO Philadelphia County

4379

Illegal lottery

November 27, 1935. Placed on probation for 1 year.

March 20, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Reverend Silvio G. Biagini,
3210 Memphis Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MARRAZZO, DOMENICO

Philadelphia County

4395

March 5, 1920. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years.

Larceny, entering with intent to steal

April 1, 1920. Sentence reconsidered and placed on probation for 5 years.

April 4, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Henry Klauber, Esquire,
30 Boy Street,
St. George, Staten Island, N. Y.

McDERMOTT, ALBERT J.

Philadelphia County

3925

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

January 29, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 20 years.

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

March 30, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Michael J. Landis,
150 North Seventeenth Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MOURAVIEW, LEON Philadelphia County

4384

Operating an automobile without owner's consent

September 21, 1931. Placed on probation for 1 year.

March 24, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Lester L. Dolfman, Esquire,
508 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

NEWLIN, HARRY C. Philadelphia County

4400

Statutory rape

September 13, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire,
Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

O'BRIEN, HUGH JOSEPH

Philadelphia County

2665

September 18, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused February 19, 1936, and January 19, 1938.

Murder, first degree

January 19, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

February 14, 1939. Continued to May session.

Thomas D. McBride, Esquire,
702 Liberty Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

PERRONE, PHILLIP Philadelphia County

4423

Murder, second degree

April 25, 1934. Sentenced to the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

April 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Bernard R. Cohn, Esquire,
913 Franklin Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

PLANK, GEORGE Philadelphia County

3367

November 23, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

May 11, 1933. Sentence reconsidered and sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 10 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, entering with intent to steal

June 23, 1933. Released on parole.

January 9, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 3 years for entering with intent to steal. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence.

Applications for commutation refused June 17, 1937, and November 16, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

PORTONE, JOHN PETER Philadelphia County

3927

February 9, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Robbery

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Vincent G. Panati, Esquire,
Joseph J. Santarone, Esquire,
612 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

RABENA, JOSEPH Philadelphia County

3215

August 25, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5½ to 20 years.

Assault, robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Applications for commutation refused February 24, 1937, November 17, 1937, June 27, 1938, and November 16, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Bernard R. Cohn, Esquire,
913 Franklin Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

REILLY, WILLIAM Philadelphia County

3409

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

March 7, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 60 years.

June 17, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Dr. Lawernce C. Lockley,
1126 Walnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SCHOEL, NER TATE Philadelphia County

4413

Burglary

April 3, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 10 years. Same day placed on probation for 10 years to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence.

April 3, 1937. Released on parole.

April 10, 1939. Application fc pardon filed.

John Patrick Walsh, Esquire,
16 South Broad Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SHARBLE, CHARLES J. Philadelphia County

3511

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

December 17, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years.

Applications for commutation refused November 17, 1937, May 24, 1938, and November 16, 1938.

April 4, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Alba Sharble,
526 Dickinson Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SHAW, HERBERT JOSEPH

Philadelphia County

2014

January 23, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Assault, being armed with an offensive weapon, robbery

Application for commutation refused November 21, 1934, November 17, 1937, and October 18, 1938.

March 24, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Shaw,
4257 Castor Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SMOKER, WILLIAM ROBERT

Philadelphia County

424

June 5, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Burglary, entering with intent to steal

Applications for commutation refused September 23, 1931, July 10, 1935, January 15, 1936, September 23, 1936, April 21, 1937, April 20, 1938, and October 18, 1938.

April 4, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire,
Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

TAMACCIO, VITO Philadelphia County

3988

Assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery, assault and battery with attempt to ravish, attempted rape, sodomy

September 27, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 12½ to 25 years. Sentence to be computed from September 30, 1935.

November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 5, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Joachim J. Famiglietti, Esquire,
912 Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

THOMAS, JAMES Philadelphia County

4402

May 25, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 40 to 80 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, carrying concealed deadly weapons

May 25, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for 1 year for carrying concealed deadly weapons. This sentence to begin at the expiration of original sentence.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

THOMSON, WALTER H. Philadelphia County

4416

Involuntary manslaughter

June 3, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for 6 months. Sentence computed from June 1, 1938.

April 13, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Louis Fow, Esquire,
718 Real Estate Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

WARDENSKI, HENRY Philadelphia County

2587

May 14, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused October 21, 1936, and September 21, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank Laska,
4713 Tacony Street,
Frankford, Philadelphia, Pa.

BELTZ, JOHN Schuylkill County

4085

November 4, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 27 to 86 years.

Rape, robbery

Applications for commutation refused November 19, 1936, and February 16, 1938.

April 5, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Martin V. McGuire, Esquire,
Shenandoah Trust Company Building,
Shenandoah, Pa.

BURKHART, CHARLES FOSTER

Somerset and Allegheny Counties

2126

September 27, 1926. Sentenced in Somerset County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years for breaking and entering, etc. Sentence to be computed from September 27, 1931, because of 5 years back time for parole violation.

June 15, 1928. Sentenced in Allegheny County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years for felonious assault and battery. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence, September 27, 1946.

Breaking and entering, larceny, receiving stolen goods, felonious assault and battery

July 30, 1929. Transferred to the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused February 20, 1935, October 17, 1935, and November 17, 1937.

April 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SKUBIC, JOSEPH Susquehanna County

4386

Breaking and entering, larceny, assault and battery with intent to rob, carrying concealed deadly weapons

August 19, 1933. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 16 to 32 years.

March 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Francis M. Jevnik,
Forest City, Pa.

HOYT, JOHN NELSON Washington County

3676

November 12, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 55 to 110 years.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused April 20, 1938, and November 17, 1938.

March 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Margaret Hoyt Winland,
Box 438,
Avella, Pa.

SHERWOOD, W. H. Washington County

3563

November 17, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years.

Voluntary manslaughter

Applications for commutation refused December 16, 1937, and November 17, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Donald Bansen,
509 Tatnall Avenue,
Glenolden, Pa.

BOGGS, PAUL E. Westmoreland County

4406

May 29, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

April 10, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Theodore H. Schmidt, Esquire,
402 Grant Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

DETWILER, FRANK

4407

Breaking and entering, larceny, robbery, violation of the Fire Arms Act

Westmoreland, Fayette and Washington Counties

February 20, 1933. Sentenced in Westmoreland County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years.

December 1, 1936. Sentenced in Fayette County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. This sentence to run concurrent with original sentence.

September 1, 1938. Sentenced in Washington County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. This sentence to run concurrent with original sentence.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Charles Glassburn, Esquire,
R. F. D. No. 2,
Mt. Pleasant, Pa.

EISAMAN, JOHN M. Westmoreland County

4110

May 28, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from April 14, 1937.

Abortion

November 17, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

April 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. John M. Eisaman,
107 West Otterman Street,
Greensburg, Pa.

MANNI, JOHN Westmoreland County

1493

January 3, 1930. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

Applications for commutation refused October 18, 1933, April 18, 1934, December 19, 1934, September 27, 1935, September 24, 1936, May 20, 1937, December 17, 1937, and September 21, 1938.

April 10, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

REEDY, JAMES V. York and Dauphin Counties

4394

Unlawful sale of motor vehicles with defaced serial numbers, unlawfully offering for sale motor vehicles with defaced serial numbers, unlawfully passing and attempting to pass certificates of titles to stolen vehicles, larceny, receiving stolen goods

April 18, 1935. Sentenced in York County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years for unlawful sale of motor vehicles with defaced serial numbers, etc.

April 29, 1935. Sentenced in Dauphin County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for larceny, receiving stolen goods. Sentence to begin at the expiration of original sentence.

April 3, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Thomas D. Caldwell, Esquire,
23 South Third Street,
Harrisburg, Pa.

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November 23, 1936. Sentenced to death.

April 23, 1937. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

May 3, 1937. Governor issued warrant setting execution for week beginning June 7, 1937.

May 24, 1937. Application for commutation filed.

May 24, 1937. Respite issued to week beginning June 21, 1937.

Murder, first degree (capital case)

June 16, 1937. Additional respites were issued to September 27, 1937, October 25, 1937, November 22, 1937, January 3, 1938, February 21, 1938, May 23, 1938, September 26, 1938, December 5, 1938, January 16, 1939, July 17, 1939, September 24, 1939 and October 23, 1939.

June 16, 1937. Held under advisement.

June 6, 1939. Reargument granted.

June 30, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

July 31, 1939. Reargument granted.

September 18, 1939. Continued to October session.

William J. Carney, Esquire, 309-312 Masonic Temple, Erie, Pa.

BAILEY, WILLIE

4516

Philadelphia County

May 4, 1939. Sentenced to death.

June 19, 1939. Governor issued warrant setting execution for week beginning July 24, 1939.

July 5, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning September 25, 1939.

Murder, first degree (capital case)

July 20, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

September 18, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning October 23, 1939.

September 18, 1939. Continued to October session.

Reuben Levi, Esquire,
121 North Broad Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Henry W. Maxim, Esquire,
12 South 12th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

FULLER, JAMES Philadelphia County

4502

May 12, 1939. Sentenced to death.

May 22, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

June 27, 1939. Governor issued warrant setting execution for week beginning August 14, 1939.

Murder, first degree (capital case)

June 28, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

July 28, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning October 9, 1939.

July 31, 1939. Reargument granted.

September 18, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning November 6, 1939.

September 18, 1939. Continued to October session.

I. Jerome Stern, Esquire,
1315-17 Walnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

William P. Cairo, Esquire,
1211 Chestnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Raymond Pace Alexander, Esquire.
1900 Chestnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GOLDEN, CHARLES EDWARD

4504

Philadelphia County

May 12, 1939. Sentenced to death.

May 23, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

June 27, 1939. Governor issued warrant setting execution for week beginning August 7, 1939.

June 28, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

Murder, first degree (capital case)

July 28, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning October 2, 1939.

July 31, 1939. Reargument granted.

September 18, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning October 30, 1939.

September 18, 1939. Continued to October session.

Colbert C. McClain, Esquire,
Raymond J. MacNeille, Esquire,
1615 Pennsylvania Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Raymond Pace Alexander, Esquire,
1900 Chestnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LeGRAND, FLETCHER

4507

Philadelphia County

May 12, 1939. Sentenced to death.

June 1, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

June 27, 1939. Governor issued warrant setting execution for week beginning August 14, 1939.

June 28, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

Murder, first degree (capital case)

July 28, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning October 9, 1939.

July 31, 1939. Reargument granted.

September 18, 1939. Governor issued respite to week begining November 6, 1939.

September 18, 1939. Continued to October session.

Morton S. Freeman, Esquire,
12 South 12th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Raymond Pace Alexander, Esquire,
1900 Chestnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

REDMON, IRA BOB Philadelphia County

4480

April 11, 1939. Sentenced to death.

April 20, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

June 27, 1939. Governor issued warrant setting execution for week beginning August 7, 1939.

June 28, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

Murder, first degree (capital case)

July 28, 1939. Governor issued respite to week begining September 25, 1939.

July 31, 1939. Reargument granted.

September 18, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning October 23, 1939.

September 18, 1939. Continued to October session.

Joseph Marinelli, Esquire,
1601 Franklin Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Thomas J. Clary, Esquire,
322 Walnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

TANKARD, WALTER Philadelphia County

4501

May 12, 1939. Sentenced to death.

May 22, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

June 27, 1939. Governor issued warrant setting execution for week beginning August 7, 1939.

June 28, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

Murder, first degree (capital case)

July 28, 1939. Governor issued respite to week beginning October 2, 1939.

July 31, 1939. Reargument granted.

September 18, 1939. Governor issued respite to week begininng October 30, 1939.

September 18, 1939. Continued to October session.

Charles E. Kenworthey, Esquire,
1335 Land Title Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Howard R. Detweiler, Esquire,
1300 Lincoln-Liberty Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Raymond Pace Alexander, Esquire,
1900 Chestnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

ANDREWS, JOSEPH Philadelphia County

4207

September 7, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Robbery

December 14, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Milton S. Leidner, Esquire,
402 North American Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BALIN, RUBEN Philadelphia County

4590

Conspiracy to rob

August 14, 1931. Placed on probation for one year.

September 9, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

David Stotland, Esquire,
400 Bankers Securities Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BALLA, MICHAEL

4587

Entering with intent to steal

Philadelphia County

November 4, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

September 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. F. L. Stradling,
2228 West Tioga Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BURDETT, FRANCIS

4595

Larceny, receiving stolen goods, conspiracy

Philadelphia County

March 29, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 8 years.

September 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Samuel A. Levin, Esquire,
N. W. Corner 12th and Girard Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CALABRESE, JOHN

4046

Philadelphia County

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

June 4, 1928. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from November 4, 1929.

Applications for commutation refused October 21, 1936, June 17, 1937, May 24, 1938 and April 26, 1939.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Alexander Bonavitcola, Esquire,
Pennsylvania Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CALLAHAN, JAMES

3949

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Philadelphia County

July 31, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 60 years.

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Edmund J. G. Dale, Esquire,
938 Commercial Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CARROLL,
THOMAS CHARLES

4125

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Philadelphia County

May 17, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CARTO, JOSEPH Philadelphia County

3664

August 25, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5½ to 20 years.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused March 16, 1938 and April 26, 1939.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Connie Belloma,
731 Ritner Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CAVANAUGH, JOHN, JR.

4568

Carrying concealed deadly weapons without a permit

Philadelphia County

May 26, 1933. Placed on probation for 3 years.

September 5, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Harry Lapensohn, Esquire,
1711 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

CHASE, CHARLES

3308

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Philadelphia County

March 7, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State penitentiary for from 20 to 60 years.

Applications for commutation refused April 21, 1937 and May 24, 1938.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Rose Dillon,
2811 North Mervine Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

DeSTASIO, GRAZZIO Philadelphia County

3605

June 6, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from October 9, 1934.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused January 19, 1938 and December 14, 1938.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Louis F. McCabe, Esquire,
938 Commercial Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

DiGIOVANNI, JOSEPH

3235

Extortion, impersonating an officer

Philadelphia County

March 8, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 1 to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from March 2, 1935.

February 24, 1937. Application for pardon refused.

September 9, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. Joseph J. DiGiovanni,
6153 North 17th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

ELETTO,
CHARLES DAMATO

4570

Murder, second degree, voluntary manslaughter

Mr. George Getz,
2170 East Lehigh Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia County

February 18, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

September 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

FERTIG, WILLIAM STANLEY

4591

Conspiracy to commit rape, assault and battery with intent to ravish, rape, adultery, solicitation to commit sodomy, taking a female child under the age of 16 for immoral purpose

David Kanner, Esquire,
916 North American Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia County

June 1, 1928. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 5 to 15 years for conspiracy to commit rape, assault and battery with intent to ravish.

July 3, 1929. Released on parole.

November 1, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years for rape, adultery, etc. Sentence to begin at the expiration of minimum of original sentence December 6, 1934.

September 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

FUGLIO, ALPHONSO MICHAEL

4577

Robbery

Philadelphia County

October 30, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State penitentiary for from 4 to 20 years.

April 30, 1936. Released on parole.

July 15, 1938. Returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for violation of parole.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Yolanda Fuglio,
6626 Lansdowne Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Anna Marano,
6640 Haddington Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GALICZYNSKI, PETER

3934

Assault, assault being armed with intent to rob

Philadelphia County

June 13, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Anna Galiczynski,
1132 Frankford Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GERACE, VINCENT

4104

Philadelphia County

November 27, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 6 months to 2 years for larceny.

April 27, 1936. Released on parole.

May 13, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for robbery, aggravated assault and battery.

Larceny, robbery, aggravated assault and battery

May 14, 1936. Sentenced to serve the unexpired parole period of 1½ years in the Philadelphia County Prison. This sentence to begin at the expiration of present sentence.

November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Martin L. Steiger, Esquire,
1600 Walnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GOLDMAN, HYMAN J.

4603

Fraudulently making a written instrument, uttering and publishing same

Philadelphia County

August 13, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for 6 months.

September 15, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Nathan Lavine, Esquire,
1104 Franklin Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GOLDMAN, MORRIS Philadelphia County

4508

February 15, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from January 9, 1939.

Fraudulent conversion, false pretense

June 2, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

September 22, 1939. Continued to October session.

John H. H. Morrow, Esquire,
737 Commercial Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GREIFER, ESTHER Philadelphia County

4553

Murder, first degree

January 20, 1937. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the State Industrial Home for Women at Muncy. Sentence to be computed from March 19, 1937.

August 18, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

John R. K. Scott, Esquire,
William T. Connor, Esquire,
Hardie Scott, Esquire,
313 North American Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Joseph B. Englander, Esquire,
1211 Chestnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GUESTIS, JOSEPH

4230

Philadelphia and Delaware Counties

February 21, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for burglary, entering with intent to steal.

Burglary, entering with intent to steal, robbery

March 28, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for burglary, robbery. Sentence to begin at the expiration of minimum of original sentence February 21, 1939.

December 14, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

HAUPTMAN, ADOLPH J.

4565

Fornication and bastardy

Roy Pressman, Esquire,
1306 Widener Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia County

June 28, 1929. Sentenced to pay $4.00 weekly for support of child and $16.00 lying-in expenses.

September 5, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

HEISSE, ALBERT Philadelphia County

3939

October 2, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Larceny of automobile, robbery

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Thomas M. Temple,
1916 Parkway,
Philadelphia, Pa.

KERNS,
JOHN JOSEPH, JR.

4564

Driving automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor

Philadelphia County

May 1, 1936. Sentenced to pay costs and 3 months in the Philadelphia County Prison. Sentence to be computed from December 28, 1936.

September 1, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Robert C. Duffy, Esquire,
1222 Lincoln Liberty Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

KEYS, WILFRED Philadelphia County

4193

March 30, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years.

Entering with intent to steal, larceny

December 14, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Samuel Kenin, Esquire,
420 Real Estate Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

KOUSHEL, MORRIS

4558

Receiving stolen goods

Mrs. Rea Kirshbaum,
2646 South Percy Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia County

March 13, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from February 23, 1939.

August 25, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

KUHN, ELWOOD

4517

Entering with intent to steal, larceny, receiving stolen goods

Philadelphia County

June 8, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

July 21, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

September 22, 1939. Continued to October session.

Mr. George F. Holmes,
1158 South 52d Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LINDENMUTH, EARL Philadelphia County

4323

March 9, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Robbery

March 23, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

September 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Charles W. Sweeney, Esquire,
2518 Lewis Tower Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LONEY, ALBERT Philadelphia County

3973

February 2, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from August 2, 1937.

Murder, second degree

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

August 22, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Willie Mae Boston,
4430 Race Road,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LOVUOLO, SILVIO

3767

Philadelphia County.

March 12, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1938 and April 26, 1939.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Bernard R. Cohn, Esquire,
913 Franklin Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MARSHALL,
DAVID L.

Philadelphia County

830

April 23, 1926. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Applications for commutation refused April 20, 1932, May 23, 1934 and May 1, 1935.

Murder, second degree

April 23, 1936. Released on parole.

May 24, 1938. Application for pardon refused.

September 9, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Joseph Newman, Esquire,
815 Real Estate Trust Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MAURO, DIVINO

4602

Robbery, carrying concealed deadly weapons

Herman Weiner, Esquire,
1412 Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia County

August 28, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

September 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

McDERMOTT, WALTER

4555

Entering with intent to steal, larceny, receiving stolen goods, carrying concealed deadly weapons

I. Irving Tubis, Esquire,
16 South Broad Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia County

March 17, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 10 years.

August 18, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

McLAUGHLIN, JOSEPH

4064

Entering with intent to steal, larceny, receiving stolen goods, riotous destruction of public buildings

Mrs. Naomi Holt,
Mrs. Emma McLaughlin,
7028 Tulip Street,
Tacony, Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia and Montgomery Counties

April 28, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for entering with intent to steal, etc.

September 19, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for riotous destruction of public buildings. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence April 28, 1939.

Applications for commutation refused October 21, 1936 and May 19, 1937.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

MICHEL, JOHN H. Philadelphia County

4563

October 10, 1928. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 7 years.

Perjury

October 10, 1931. Released on parole.

August 31, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

James Dessen, Esquire,
807 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MULLIN, JOHN, JR.

4601

Philadelphia and Montgomery Counties

June 10, 1930. Sentenced to pay a fine of $50.00 and one month in the Philadelphia County Prison.

Larceny of automobile

April 1, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Montgomery County Prison for three months.

September 15, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Benjamin Fertik, Esquire,
643 Land Title Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

NADZIEJKO,
CARL JOHN

4224

Burglary

Philadelphia County

September 27, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

December 14, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

August 25, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire,
1505 Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

NICHOLL, LEO PATRICK 3537	Robbery, riotous destruction of buildings	Philadelphia and Montgomery Counties July 22, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 15 years for robbery. November 3, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years for riotous destruction of buildings. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence July 22, 1944. Applications for commutation refused November 17, 1937 and May 24, 1938. September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

OLDEN, GEORGE

4594

Robbery

Philadelphia County

March 23, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 20 years.

September 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Samuel A. Levin, Esquire,
N. W. Corner 12th and Girard Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

PERLMAN, SAMUEL I.

3961

Fraudulently making a written instrument

Philadelphia County.

July 9, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

October 18, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

John R. K. Scott, Esquire,
313 North American Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

PFINGSTON, FRANK J.

4600

Assault, being armed with an offensive weapon

Philadelphia County

August 29, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from August 19, 1938.

September 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Michael J. McEnery, Esquire,
1328 Chestnut Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

QUARTUCCI, WILLIAM

3681

Robbery

Philadelphia County

August 19, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from August 7, 1937.

Applications for commutation refused April 20, 1938 and December 14, 1938.

August 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

September 22, 1939. Continued to October session.

Mr. John DeBring,
846 East Woodlawn Avenue,
Germantown, Philadelphia, Pa.

RUSSELL,
HERBERT A.

4554

Entering with intent to steal, larceny, receiving stolen goods, carrying concealed weapons

I. Irving Tubis, Esquire,
16 South Broad Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia County

March 17, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 10 years.

August 18, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

SCHIMEK, LOUIS

3632

Receiving stolen goods

Philadelphia County.

January 8, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years.

Applications for commutation refused February 16, 1938 and November 16, 1938.

September 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Sacks and Piwosky, Esquires,
921 Widener Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SCHUCK,
OTTO WILLIAM

3413

Robbery

Philadelphia County

April 12, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 30 years.

Applications for commutation refused September 28, 1937, February 16, 1938, September 21, 1938 and April 26, 1939.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Ella Schuck,
1334 North Newkirk Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SEARCY,
FRANK WILLIAM

4225

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Philadelphia County

December 15, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

December 14, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation field.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SHIELDS, ALOYSIOUS	Philadelphia County
3575	December 12, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 40 years.
Robbery	Applications for commutation refused December 15, 1937, October 18, 1938 and December 14, 1938.
	September 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Charles W. Sweeney, Esquire,
2518 Lewis Tower Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

STAPLES, EDWARD FORD

1086

Sodomy

Philadelphia County

February 28, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 20 years.

July 10, 1934. Sentence commuted.

August 16, 1934. Released on parole.

September 9, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Philip Werner, Esquire,
1817 East Allegheny Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pa.

TARSNANE, JAMES

954

Philadelphia County

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

September 26, 1927. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 30 years.

Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1932, May 17, 1933 and November 21, 1934.

September 26, 1935. Sentence commuted.

September 30, 1935. Released on parole.

September 6, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. Robert R. Urbach,
1429 Seller Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

VANDEPUTTE, CHARLES J.

4586

Larceny, receiving stolen goods, conspiracy

Philadelphia County

February 18, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 6 months to 5 years.

September 9, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Philip J. Franzese, Esquire,
12 South 12th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

VECCHIOLLI, FRANK	Philadelphia County
3902	November 8, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 25 years. Sentence to be computed from November 7, 1937.
Robbery	Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1938 and April 26, 1939.
	September 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Maurice E. Levick, Esquire,
711 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

WHITE, FELIX

2946

Philadelphia County

May 2, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Applications for commutation refused May 20, 1936 and December 14, 1938.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Colonel Franklin D. Shaw,
34 South 17th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

WILLIAMS, EDWARD

4561

Murder, second degree

Philadelphia County

May 29, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

August 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Henry F. Clark,
28 Arlington Avenue,
Caldwell, N. J.

WILLIAMS, O'MURL

4124

Murder, first degree

Philadelphia County

March 4, 1927. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Stanley Yarnall, Sr.,
5337 Knox Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

ZESDORN,
VINCENT JOSEPH

4576

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Philadelphia County

March 5, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

ARENDASH, JOHN

4188

Allegheny County

September 24, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 20 years.

Robbery, escape

December 13, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Miss Mary Fenis,
631 College Avenue,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

BARONETSKI, MICHAEL

4368

Entering a building

Allegheny County

April 27, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years.

April 20, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

September 5, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

CALLAGHAN, FRANCIS

4575

Robbery, receiving stolen goods

Allegheny County

April 27, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from March 11, 1939.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Patrick Callaghan,
511 Mercer Street,
Turtle Creek, Pa.

CANFIELD,
RUSSELL BUELL

3001

Allegheny County

November 7, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years for entering a building with intent to commit a felony.

Entering a building with intent to commit a felony, breaking and escaping penitentiary

April 11, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 months to 1 year for breaking and escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence July 24, 1943.

June 17, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

August 18, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Blanche B. Levy, Esquire,
411 Berger Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

CLEMMONS, RALPH JOSEPH

4569

Burglary

Allegheny County

May 19, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from April 6, 1938.

September 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Robert B. McKinley, Esquire,
714 Columbia Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

DiMATTEO, GUISEPPE

4562

Voluntary manslaughter

Allegheny County

January 24, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 3 to 6 years.

August 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

John Duggan, Jr., Esquire,
921 Grant Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

William H. Coleman, Esquire,
728 Frick Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

EDWARDS, IRA E.

4141

Allegheny County

February 7, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years for entering a building, larceny.

February 23, 1934. Released on parole.

November 10, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for entering a building, larceny.

Entering a building, larceny

This sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence October 24, 1941.

December 13, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Ella M. Banks,
195 State Street,
Salem, Ohio.

Mr. Kenneth D. Edwards,
614 Hollace Street,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

FERRARO, ANTHONY Allegheny County

4593

Robbery

September 2, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from August 20, 1937.

September 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

M. Barney Cohen, Esquire,
1208 Berger Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

FERRARO, WILLIAM

4294

Allegheny County

October 25, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from October 12, 1937.

Robbery

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

September 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

M. Barney Cohen, Esquire,
1208 Berger Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

GEISLER, THEODORE JOSEPH	Allegheny County
1619	May 3, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years.
Robbery	Applications for commutation refused January 17, 1934, December 19, 1934, March 24, 1937 and April 20, 1938.
	September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.
Mrs. Minnie Geisler, 812 Babel Street, Mount Oliver Station, Pittsburgh, Pa.	

GORDON, HARRY W.

3609

Allegheny County

May 15, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Voluntary manslaughter

Applications for commutation refused February 16, 1938 and April 20, 1939.

September 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Samuel Wilson, Esquire,
510 North Third Street,
Harrisburg, Pa.

GRECO, FRANK Allegheny County

4592

Robbery

November 7, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from September 28, 1938.

September 13, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

M. Barney Cohen, Esquire,
1208 Berger Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

HOOVER, HARRY

3301

Allegheny County

January 7, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 30 to 60 years.

April 21, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

Robbery

May 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

June 29, 1939. Continued to September session.

September 21, 1939. Continued to October session.

A. W. Powell, Esquire,
1209 Grant Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

KAMERLING, JAMES H. 3892	Robbery, felonious assault, breaking and escaping penitentiary	Allegheny and Centre Counties January 15, 1926. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years for robbery. August 8, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 18 to 36 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary, robbery, felonious assault. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence January 17, 1942. November 25, 1931. Transferred to the Eastern State Penitentiary. September 21, 1938. Application for commutation refused. September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Colonel Franklin D. Shaw,
34 South 17th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LANCE, EMMANUEL PETER

3595

Murder, second degree

Mrs. Lottie Lance,
1310 West North Avenue,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Allegheny County

October 23, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Applications for commutation refused January 19, 1938 and September 21, 1938.

August 31, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

McDERMOTT,
JOSEPH CHARLES

4303

Entering a building with felonious intent

Mrs. Mary McDermott,
317 Bell Avenue,
McKees Rocks, Pa.

Allegheny County

February 9, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from December 20, 1937.

February 15, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

OAKES, PHILLIP McCORMICK

4573

Burglary

Allegheny County

June 28, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 19⅓ to 40 years.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western, State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

RACKCLIFFE, FRANK	Allegheny County
4351	April 9, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.
Statutory rape	April 20, 1939. Application for commutation refused.
	September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.
Blanche B. Levy, Esquire, 411 Berger Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.	

SCHOTTING, WILLIAM OLIVER

4559

Attempted larceny of auto, robbery, aggravated assault and battery

Mr. Casper Schotting,
401 Baldwin Road,
Hays, Pa.

Allegheny County

October 6, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7 to 14 years. Sentence to be computed from August 16, 1937.

August 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

SQUIRES, FRED

4599

Murder, second degree

Allegheny County

June 17, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 20 years.

September 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

James P. McArdle, Esquire,
1400 Jones Law Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

STEGGERT, FRANK

4165

Allegheny County

November 16, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years.

Robbery

December 13, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 1, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Edward Steggert,
98 Carnival Way,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

STEPHENS, HARRY E.		Allegheny County
4557		October 28, 1921. Placed on probation for 1 year for larceny.
Larceny, receiving stolen goods		May 14, 1923. Sentenced to the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon for an indeterminate term for larceny, receiving stolen goods.
		August 25, 1939. Application for pardon filed.
Mr. Harry E. Stephens, 5341 Second Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.		

WILLIAMS, EVAN

4598

Allegheny County

January 8, 1926. Sentenced to pay a fine of $5.00, costs and one day in the Allegheny County Prison.

Larceny, receiving stolen goods, violation of election laws

May 21, 1928. Sentenced to pay a fine of $50.00 and placed on probation for six months.

September 15, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

James P. McArdle, Esquire,
1400 Jones Law Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ZACHAREWICZ, VICTOR

4572

Robbery

Allegheny County

November 26, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years. Sentence to be computed from November 27, 1936.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Blair F. Gunther, Esquire,
1603 Law and Finance Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ZEMLER, LOUIS

4567

Murder, first degree

Samuel A. Weiss, Esquire,
605 Grant Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Allegheny County

February 17, 1932. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary. Sentence to be computed from June 10, 1931.

September 5, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

MIHALICH, THOMAS

1400

Beaver County

January 31, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1933, July 11, 1935 and June 17, 1936.

September 1, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ZAJAC, MARTIN JOHN

4028

Felonious taking and stealing a motor vehicle, receiving and purchasing a stolen motor vehicle, breaking and escaping penitentiary

Mrs. Pauline Hedzik,
801 20th Street,
Ambridge, Pa.

Mrs. Katherine W. Zajac,
6356 Forward Avenue,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Beaver and Centre Counties

October 18, 1930. Sentenced in Beaver County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for felonious taking and stealing a motor vehicle.

September 26, 1932. Sentenced in Centre County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence January 3, 1941.

Applications for commutation refused October 21, 1936, April 20, 1938 and October 18, 1938.

September 6, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

BOWMAN,
DONALD E.

4571

Larceny, receiving stolen goods

Romeyn F. Culver, Esquire,
403 Main Street,
Towanda, Pa.

Bradford County

November 22, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 3 years for larceny.

November 22, 1936. Released on parole.

April 2, 1939. Returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for parole violation.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

AHLUM, ARTHUR

4580

Felonious entry, larceny, receiving stolen goods

Mrs. Artis Ahlum,
Mrs. Joseph Linnington,
R. F. D. No. 1,
Bristol, Pa.

Bucks County

September 6, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years.

Sentence to be computed from September 7, 1938.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

KAUTERMAN,
WILMER H.

2911

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, larceny, receiving stolen goods

Bucks County

November 7, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

April 15, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Joseph Kauterman,
3136 Tulip Street,
Kensington, Philadelphia, Pa.

SICILIANO, VINCENT 3843	Cambria County April 21, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.
Felonious rape	Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1938 and March 23, 1939. September 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

THOBURN, WILLIAM EDWARD

4584

Cambria and Centre Counties

December 28, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. for robbery, receiving stolen goods.

Robbery, receiving stolen goods, breaking and escaping penitentiary

September 8, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence January 8, 1942.

September 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

BRYAN, FRANK ADIE

4583

Robbery

Centre County

February 13, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from February 10, 1939.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. F. A. Bryan,
Powelton, Pa.

Mrs. A. C. Bryan,
Osceola Mills, Pa.

WARNER, FRED 4585	Centre and Lackawanna Counties
	March 11, 1921. Sentenced in Lackawana County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years for larceny.
	March 11, 1924. Released on parole.
	September 15, 1925. Returned for violation of parole.
Larceny, breaking and escaping penitentiary	December 22, 1931. Sentenced in Centre County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence May 20, 1932.
	July 20, 1936. Released on parole.
	July 15, 1937. Returned to the Western State Penitentiary for violation of parole. Maximum sentence expires May 20, 1942.
	September 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

DAVIS, JULES Columbia County

3690

May 8, 1937. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years.

Forgery

Applications for commutation refused April 20, 1938, October 18, 1938 and April 20, 1939.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Alex Marcus, Esquire,
Scranton Electric Building,
Scranton, Pa.

MAIN, RALPH

4531

Perjury

Crawford County

September 26, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years.

August 10, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

September 21, 1939. Continued to October session.

Raymond C. Miller, Esquire,
286 Chestnut Street,
Meadville, Pa.

WOJNOWSKI, VERONICA	Crawford and Venango Counties
4588	May, 1936. Sentenced in Venango County to imprisonment in the State Industrial Home for Women at Muncy for from 1 to 2 years for larceny.
Larceny, receiving stolen goods	April 5, 1937. Sentenced in Crawford County to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the State Industrial Home for Women at Muncy for from 1 to 3 years for receiving stolen goods. Sentence to be computed from December 23, 1938.
	September 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.
Edwin K. Logan, Esquire, 606 Lawrence Savings and Trust Building, New Castle, Pa.	

FAKE, ARTHUR E. Dauphin County

4108

January 26, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years for forgery.

February 20, 1933. Released on parole.

Forgery, breaking and entering

February 13, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for breaking and entering. Sentence to begin at the expiration of original sentence February 13, 1936.

November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Edgar L. Barr,
R. F. D. No. 2,
Lebanon, Pa.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire,
1505 Fox Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

GILDEA, WALTER EVERETT

4579

Pandering

Dauphin County

September 20, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

RUNYAN, GEORGE B. Erie County

3054

December 6, 1934. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary. Sentence to be computed from December 11, 1934.

Murder, first degree

June 18, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

September 14, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Bernard T. Foley, Esquire,
1102 Palace Building,
Erie, Pa.

STANLEY, JOHN
4560

Franklin County

False pretense

November 3, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from November 12, 1938.

August 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Jeffie Murphy,
1616 Fleetwood Street,
Dallas, Texas.

McHUGH, J. EDWARD

2900

Robbery with aggravated circumstances

Huntingdon County

February 24, 1933. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

April 15, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

August 25, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Edward Irwin Goodwin,
145 Gates Avenue,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

LEISEY, CLARENCE

4582

Lancaster County

June 26, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

Assault and battery, rape

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Sadie Faust,
R. F. D. No. 3,
Ephrata, Pa.

NONZIATO, JOSEPH ANTHONY

4175

Robbery

Lancaster County

June 3, 1933. Sentenced to pay a fine of $2000, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

December 15, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MARTIN, JESSE JOSEPH

4543

Murder, first degree

Lawrence County

April 4, 1930. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary. Sentence to be computed from April 7, 1930.

August 11, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

September 21, 1939. Continued to October session.

Edwin K. Logan, Esquire,
Lawrence Saving and Trust Building,
New Castle, Pa.

TAYLOR,
RICHARD D.

Lehigh County

4126

April 29, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years.

Kidnapping

November 16, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

BUDA, BERNARD

4581

Felonious wounding, assault and battery

M. S. DePierro, Esquire,
Freeland, Pa.

Luzerne County

April 11, 1938. Sentenced to pay a fine of $500, and 1 year in Luzerne County Prison.

September 8, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

GROHOWSKI, JOHN

4084

Robbery

Luzerne County

February 6, 1932. Sentenced to pay a fine of $5000, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

November 19, 1936. Application for commutation refused.

September 5, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Jule Serway,
217 Noble Lane,
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

MATLACK, JOHN Luzerne County

3800

September 30, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

September 22, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Roy B. Pope, Esquire,
526 Second National Bank Building,
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

MIORELLI, JOSEPH J. Luzerne County

4127

January 13, 1928. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, first degree

December 15, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

John H. Bigelow, Esquire,
Hazleton, Pa.

ROSSELLI, PETER

4589

Larceny, receiving stolen goods

Luzerne County

April 14, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from April 15, 1936.

September 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

William J. Butler, Esquire,
1009 Brooks Building,
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

SWEENEY, DANIEL WALTER

4121

Murder, second degree, larceny, breaking and entering, receiving stolen goods

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Luzerne County

November 30, 1928. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from November 30, 1930.

December 15, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

MARTIN, JAMES CAVEN

4556

Forgery

Lycoming County

July 22, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years.

August 22, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

SANTUCCI, JAMES

4566

Attempted robbery

McKean County

October 7, 1933. Sentenced to pay a fine of $1,000, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

September 5, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Thomas Peccoli,
262 East 21st Street,
Paterson, N. J.

KEIPER, ARTHUR W.

2544

Monroe County

May 11, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Breaking and entering, larceny

Applications for commutation refused October 17, 1935, May 20, 1936, November 19, 1936, June 18, 1937, April 20, 1938, October 18, 1938 and April 26, 1939.

August 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Anna Keiper,
R. F. D. No. 2,
Kunkletown, Pa.

CATAGNUS, ANTHONY	Montgomery County
4218	April 9, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 10 years.
	December 15, 1938. Application for commutation refused.
Pandering, accepting bawd money	May 3, 1939. Application for commutation filed.
	June 30, 1939. Continued to September session.
	September 21, 1939. Continued to October session.

Americo V. Cortese, Esquire,
813 Market Street National Bank Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

MULLIGAN,
CHARLES FRANCIS

2554

Burglary

Northampton County

November 22, 1926. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from September 1, 1928.

December 13, 1935. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Frank Marolla, Esquire,
912 Finance Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

D'ALEXANDER, ALEX	Northumberland County
3229	December 9, 1935. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100, and to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years.
Rape	Applications for commutation refused June 28, 1938 and March 23, 1939.
	August 25, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

John L. Pipa, Jr., Esquire,
113 East Independence Street,
Shamokin, Pa.

KESSLER, HARRY BROSIUS

4597

Breaking and entering, larceny, assault and battery, breaking and escaping prison

Northumberland County

September 28, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 12 to 24 years. Sentence to be computed from September 19, 1934.

September 15, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

R. Dixon Herman, Esquire,
Union Trust Building,
Harrisburg, Pa.

MOCARSKY, ANTHONY J.

3708

Adultery, fornication and bastardy

Northumberland County

April 13, 1936. Sentenced to pay a fine of $20.00, $105.00 for lying-in expenses and $2.50 per week until child is 14 years of age. Sentence on adultery charge suspended.

June 13, 1938. Conditional pardon granted.

September 15, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

Eugene G. Mirarchi, Esquire,
Victoria Theatre Building,
Mount Carmel, Pa.

BISKO, JOSEPH Schuylkill County

4596

Robbery, receiving stolen goods, felonious shooting, larceny, carrying concealed deadly weapons, larceny of automobile, assault and battery, assault and battery with intent to kill

June 17, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 36½ to 83 years.

September 9, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

H. O. Bechtel, Esquire,
Thompson Building,
Pottsville, Pa.

NOTI, THOMAS F.

3382

Robbery, assault and battery with attempt to rob

Mrs. Charles J. Noti,
432 Ridge Avenue,
Allentown, Pa.

Schulykill County

March 7, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 11 to 22 years.

Applications for commutation refused June 18, 1937, December 15, 1937 and October 19, 1938.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

ARMOUR, PAUL

3470

Westmoreland County

November 2, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 9 to 18 years.

Robbery, attempted robbery

Applications for commutation refused September 22, 1937 and September 21, 1938.

August 18, 1939. Application for pardon filed.

David N. Denman, Esquire,
308 Main Street,
Latrobe, Pa.

HAY, JAMES VINCENT

4574

Robbery

Westmoreland County

February 8, 1933. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years.

September 7, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. T. H. Reiber,
Parole Director,
Western State Penitentiary,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ARMPRIESTER, MELVIN W.

4578

Felonious entry, larceny, receiving stolen goods, breaking and escaping penitentiary

Mr. Frank P. Tucker,
Senior Parole Officer,
Eastern State Penitentiary,
Philadelphia, Pa.

York and Montgomery Counties

March 25, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for felonious entry, larceny, receiving stolen goods.

September 23, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence March 25, 1941.

September 8, 1939. Application for commutation filed.

KOTTCAMP, WILLIAM	York County
3919	October 15, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years for larceny, receiving stolen goods.
	December 3, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for larceny, receiving stolen goods. Sentence to begin at the expiration of maximum of original sentence October 15, 1937.
Larceny, receiving stolen goods, escaping prison-	December 3, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the York County Prison for 1 year for escaping. Sentence to begin at the expiration of present sentence.
	October 19, 1938. Application for commutation refused.
	August 28, 1939. Application for commutation filed.
Mrs. Anna M. Maurer, 418 South Court Avenue, York, Pa.	

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Applications for commutation of sentence of prisoners who have served a period of time equal to the total of their minimum sentences and who cannot be released on parole because of the opinion of the Supreme Court in the case of Commonwealth of Pennsylvania ex rel. Thomas P. Lynch v. Stanley P. Ashe, Warden of the Western State Penitentiary. Commutations of sentences recommended by the Boards of Trustees of the Eastern State Penitentiary and Western State Penitentiary.

Name	County	Penitentiary
Ferniss, George C-5753	Philadelphia	E. S. P.
Klinedinst, Clarence C-7955	York	E. S. P.
Fiesel, Frank B-4422	Allegheny	W. S. P.

Parole Recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern State Penitentiary and the Western State Penitentiary for Persons Whose Terms Expire During the Month of November, 1939.

EASTERN STATE PENITENTIARY

Number	*Name*	*Crime*	*Date*	*Sentence*	*County*
D-3408	Munz, William	larceny	August 26, 1938	1¼ to 2½ years	Berks
C-9609	Young Austin	B & E larceny escape	September 8, 1933	6 to 8 years	Berks
D-107	Johnson, Zebbie	burglary	November 5, 1934	5 to 10 years	Bradford
D-2629	Lane, Lawrence Fay	escape	November 25, 1937	1½ to 5 years	Bradford
D-187	Austin, Owen J.	arson	November 27, 1934	5 to 10 years	Bucks
C-8048	Lewis, Fairbanks	att. train robbery	May 31, 1932	7½ to 15 years	Chester
D-1745	Clay, Arthur	fel. entry and larceny	November 17, 1936	2½ to 5 years	Cumberland
D-2223	Mowers, James S.	stat. rape, incest	May 27, 1937	2½ to 5 years	Cumberland
D-3231	Harris, Harvey	burg., fraud, forgery	May 31, 1938	1½ to 3 years	Dauphin
D-2809	Knox, William	larceny	November 29, 1937	1½ to 3 years	Dauphin
D-1806	Morris, John	A & B, burglary	November 30, 1936	3 to 9 years	Dauphin
D-2642	Shynock, John	rape	November 4, 1937	2 to 4 years	Dauphin
D-3812	Bodarko, John	bigamy	November 16, 1938	1 to 2 years	Lackawanna
D-3167	Baker, Frank	larceny	May 27, 1937	1½ to 3 years	Lebanon
D-153	Kinsman, James H.	stat. rape	November 24, 1934	5 to 10 years	Luzerne
D-154	Weir, John	stat. rape	November 24, 1934	5 to 10 years	Luzerne
D-1743	Archie, Earl Emson	robbery	November 27, 1938	3 to 6 years	Lycoming
D-2664	Supeck, John	B & E	November 12, 1937	2 to 4 years	Monroe
C-5741	Williams, George	murder—2	November 20, 1929	10 to 20 years	Montgomery
C-7546	Dauch, Henry	hwy robbery	November 23, 1931	8 to 16 years	Northampton
D-3618	Anderson, Henry	robbery	November 30, 1938	1 to 3 years	Philadelphia
D-1747	Carroll, Isaiah	burglary	November 30, 1936	3 to 9 years	Philadelphia
D-115	Coates, Thomas	robbery	November 8, 1934	5 to 20 years	Philadelphia
D-3103	Crowner, Howard	larceny	May 13, 1938	1½ to 3 years	Philadelphia
D-1348	Fasella, Anthony	A & B intent to kill	May 26, 1936	3½ to 7 years	Philadelphia
D-3573	Focht, Charles	agg. A & B	November 28, 1938	1 to 2 years	Philadelphia
D-1708	Franklin, Joseph	larceny	November 9, 1936	3 to 10 years	Philadelphia
D-1722	Gorman, Thomas J.	larceny	November 13, 1936	3 to 9 years	Philadelphia
D-3104	Henderson, George	larceny	May 13, 1938	1½ to 3 years	Philadelphia

EASTERN STATE PENITENTIARY (Continued)

Number	*Name*	*Crime*	*Date*	*Sentence*	*County*
D-2648	Johnson, Harvey	B & E	November 23, 1937	2 to 4 years	Philadelphia
D-2155	McCrider, Joseph	larceny	April 14, 1937	2½ to 5 years	Philadelphia
D-1723	Pollick, Thomas	larceny	November 13, 1936	3 to 9 years	Philadelphia
D-2209	Reese, Martin	armed robbery	May 5, 1937	2½ to 5 years	Philadelphia
C-8421	Richards, Francis	robbery	November 17, 1932	7 to 20 years	Philadelphia
D-2884	Robinson, Charles	arson	November 27, 1937	2 to 4 years	Philadelphia
D-2604	Rosciolli, Albert	burglary	November 9, 1937	2 to 6 years	Philadelphia
D-3105	Small, Lucius	B & E larceny	May 13, 1938	1½ to 3 years	Philadelphia
D-3298	Crocker, Joe	larceny	May 16, 1938	1½ to 5 years	Pike

WESTERN STATE PENITENTIARY

B-5293	Belk, George	robbery	November 2, 1936	2 to 4 years	Allegheny
B-6174	Hill, Wiley	sodomy	June 21, 1938	1½ to 5 years	Allegheny
B-3749	Casher, William	stat. rape	June 19, 1933	5 to 10 years	Clearfield
B-6661	Brown, Henry	firearms act	November 15, 1938	1 to 2 years	Fayette
B-6668	Collins, Burnett	A & B robbery	November 14, 1938	1 to 2 years	Fayette
B-6671	Smith, Michael	A & B robbery	November 14, 1938	1 to 2 years	Fayette
B-3674	Kiehl, Claude	murder—2	November 21, 1932	7 to 14 years	Jefferson
B-5835	Davis, John W.	sodomy	November 11, 1937	2 to 8 years	McKean
B-6211	Yanofsky, John	larceny	November 27, 1937	2 to 10 years	Philadelphia
B-3452	Moore, Dorcie	stat. rape, bast.	November 22, 1932	7 to 15 years	Warren
B-4380	Williams, Frank	robbery	November 14, 1934	5 to 10 years	Washington
B-4379	Williams, Henry	robbery	November 14, 1934	5 to 10 years	Washington

Recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern State Penitentiary of Special Cases for Parole Whose Terms Expire During the Month of October, 1939.

EASTERN STATE PENITENTIARY

D-4165	Phillips, Arthur E.	forgery	July 28, 1939	3 mo. to 1 year	Berks
D-2051	Jackson, John R.	fel. assault	March 20, 1937	2½ to 5 years	Dauphin

C-9951	Miller, Harold S.	burglary	August 20, 1934	5	to 10	years	Dauphin
D-3482	Harvey, Henry	agg. A & B	September 27, 1938	1	to 2	years	Franklin
D-142	Clayton, Henry	B & E	November 23, 1934	5	to 10	years	Philadelphia
D-2554	Gallagher, Timothy	att. sodomy	October 22, 1937	2	to 4	years	Philadelphia
D-2961	Miguel, Theodore	larceny	March 9, 1938	1½	to 3	years	Philadelphia
D-867	Krell, Clair	larceny	September 23, 1935	4	to 9	years	Schuylkill
D-2291	Lehuquet, Clifford	att. rape	May 25, 1937	2½	to 5	years	Tioga
D-2795	Seebold, Harry	ass. to kill	August 21, 1937	2	to 4	years	Union

Recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern State Penitentiary for the Re-parole of Persons Whose Terms Expire During the Month of October, 1939.

D-2080	Rayhorn, Clarence	B & E	March 25, 1937	1 yr. 3 mo.	to 3	years	Lycoming
D-48	Orchard, Leonard	B & E	October 16, 1934	2	to 10	years	Philadelphia

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Recommendations of Board of Inspectors, etc., of Counties for Release of Prisoners under Act of May 11, 1901, for November, 1939.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY PRISON

Name	*Crime*	*Date*	*Sentence*		*County*
King, David M.	agg. A & B	December 7, 1938	1	year	
Welsh, John	robbery	December 6, 1938	1	year	

ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

Yost, Ben	enticing minor	April 29, 1938	2	years	Clinton
Presley, Otis	agg. A & B	January 30, 1939	1	year	Lawrence
Roberts, Elizabeth	open lewdness	January 16, 1939	1	year	Potter
Wood, John	receiving stolen goods	January 21, 1939	1	year	Venango
Ludwick, Albert	non-support of minor child	January 26, 1939	1	year	Washington

FRANKLIN COUNTY PRISON

Johns, George	invol. mans.	February 12, 1938	2	years

LANCASTER COUNTY PRISON

Name	*Crime*	*Date*	*Sentence*	*County*
Bosworth, Stanley	operating without consent of owner	January 21, 1939	1 year	
Faggart, Harry	incest.	January 28, 1939	1 year	
Hiltz, Charles R.	vio. liquor law	January 6, 1939	1 year	
Kirk, Walter	larceny	December 13, 1938	1 year	
Shappell, Thomas	open lewdness	December 19, 1938	1 year	

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY PRISON

Keenan, Edward	oper. auto without consent of owner	April 2, 1938	2 years	
Straub, Martin	A & B, etc.	January 3, 1939	1 year	
Adler, Abraham	ent. with int. to steal	January 3, 1939	1 year	
Engram, James	oper. auto without consent of owner	August 20, 1938	1½ years	
Norman, William	carrying firearms without a permit	August 20, 1938	1½ years	
Wilson, Alexander	agg. A & B	January 7, 1939	1 year	
Jefferson, John W.	invol. mans.	August 9, 1937	3 years	
Taylor, John	ent. with int. to steal	January 10, 1939	1 year	
Golson, Benny	A & B	January 15, 1939	1 year	
Miller, Daniel	larceny	January 17, 1939	1 year	
Boozer, Cecil	consp. to rob	January 18, 1939	1 year	
Josie, Lee	att. extortion, larc. RSG	April 19, 1938	2 years	
Harley, Joseph	larceny	January 20, 1939	1 year	
Bush, Daniel	keeping, etc., bawdy house	January 20, 1939	1 year	
Waldo, John	A & B, etc.	August 22, 1937	3 years	
Herzog, James	indecent exposure	January 25, 1939	1 year	
Reid, Robert	indecent exposure	January 27, 1939	1 year	
Mack, Lawrence	unlaw. poss. and sale of drugs	April 29, 1938	2 years	
Archer, James	A & B to kill	January 29, 1939	1 year	

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